

Big U.S., British Oil Concerns Order Staffs From Canton

Transport Booked Solid To Hongkong As Reds Push On

By SPENCER MOOSA

CANTON (AP)—Big United States and British oil companies were pulling out of Canton today in the face of the Communist drive for this refugee capital of Nationalist China. Other foreign firms were leaving, too.

The United Press, meanwhile reported Washington has informed U.S. diplomats to "get out of Canton in advance of the Chinese Communists."

The American Standard-Vacuum Oil Company announced it was withdrawing its entire foreign staff. Only Chinese employees will remain to look after the interests of the largest American firm in South China.

The British Shell Oil Company was taking out families of its foreign staff and foreign women employees.

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The Nationalists claimed a counter-attack had retaken Nankang, 195 miles northeast of Canton. Thus, private reports Monday that the Reds had taken Nanchang were confirmed. An army spokesman said today the Reds had been pushed back to a point 11 miles north of Nankang.

Official dispatches said the Reds had thrown fresh forces into the battle for stubbornly held Kanhien, 215 miles north.

Baptists Oppose Envoy To Vatican

TORONTO (BUP)—A Baptist resolution opposing a Canadian envoy to the Vatican was receiving "serious consideration" by External Affairs Minister Lester Pearson, the Ontario and Quebec Baptist convention announced.

A statement released by the convention said Pearson had promised careful study of the resolution.

Fishing Vessel Hits Mine; One Missing

DOUARNENEZ, France (UP)—A French fishing boat hit a mine off Pointe du Raz and sank early today. Port authorities said one of the four crew members was missing. A rescue boat from Brest picked up the other three.

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Weather Forecast

Cloudy and cool today and Wednesday with a few showers; light winds. Low tonight, 51; high Wednesday, 65.

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Jet Plane Stays 'Upstairs' For 12 Hours

Refueling in midair 10 times, this small Meteor jet fighter, right, remained aloft for 12 hours and three minutes over southern England. Fuel was pumped from tanker through tube to the jet plane. (SNS Photo)

Rare Plant Seed From Africa Said To Ease Arthritis

NEW YORK (CP)—The Times says today in a Washington story the seed of a rare African plant will supply a cure for sufferers from arthritis, rheumatic fever and other chronic ills.

The drug to be produced from the seed is cortisone, a recently synthesized adrenal gland hormone which literally pours buoyant new life into bodies tortured by arthritis, the Times says.

The newspaper says plans have been initiated under the auspices of the United States public health service to send an expedition to South Africa to obtain a large supply of the seeds. These would be transplanted in tropical areas under U.S. jurisdiction to prevent being cut off from the drug source, as was the case with quinine and rubber during the last war.

Since the demand for the new source of cortisone will far exceed the supply for a long time, there will be a strong market.

The plant, known as straphys sarmentosus, is a practically unlimited source for cortisone since it can be cultivated. A perennial, it continues to yield seeds after one planting.

Frigate To Sail For Arctic Probe

OTTAWA (BUP)—The navy frigate, H.M.C.S. Swansea, will sail from Halifax Aug. 24 on a four-week scientific fact-finding voyage to the Arctic. Naval Headquarters announce in Ottawa.

Main purpose of the cruise was to familiarize officers and men with northern conditions, and to collect hydrographic data. The Swansea would touch at ports on the east coast of Baffin Island, as far north as River Clyde in the Arctic Circle.

Ration May Return On Gas For Aussies

CANBERRA (Reuter)—Prime Minister Joseph Chifley today held a private conference with Australian state premiers to decide whether Australia should reintroduce gasoline rationing. The meeting was noted in the eastern press today as German Communists still reeled from their election trouncing.

The Socialists with 131 seats will represent a powerful minority. With only 15 places, the badly beaten Communists are negligible factor.

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Air Of Mystery Envelops Probe Of Ontario Slaying

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)—The Times says today in a Washington story the seed of a rare African plant will supply a cure for sufferers from arthritis, rheumatic fever and other chronic ills.

An air of mystery today surrounded the police investigation of the death of a man whose badly decomposed body was found under a cement floor of a patent medicine store.

The body was discovered late Monday and neighbors said they were certain it was that of John Sanborski, 54-year-old Russian-born shoe repairman who disappeared July 18.

Police, however, said they still were regarding the body as unidentified because of its decomposed state.

Sanborski's son, who changed his name to Bill Adams, has not been seen for 10 days but Police Chief Duncan Brown emphasized

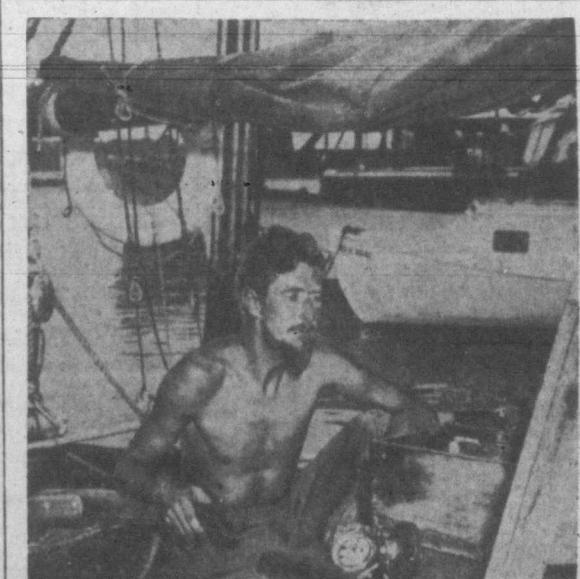
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Sanborski and his wife were divorced in 1940.



Escaped From Dull Life On Land

Edward C. Allard, 34-year-old naval architect from Surrey, Eng., who wanted "the freedom only the sea could offer" is shown in the 29-foot yawl, the Empress, in which he sailed from Gibraltar to the U.S. in 81 days. The escapist braved storms, sharks and sail breakdowns but arrived in New York in good shape, having lost only 10 pounds on the long trip. His voyage took him along 4,500 miles, although the recorded distance between New York and Gibraltar is 3,206. (SNS Photo)

Russia To Replace Envoy At Belgrade But Denies Break

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Snjukov's assertion that the Kremlin would send a new ambassador to Yugoslavia contradicted the almost universal belief among veteran diplomatic observers that Lavrentiev's promotion was a roundabout way of cutting diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia.

Before Snjukov made his statement, observers speculated that the Soviet Union was preparing for "grave action" against Tito.

Snjukov said Lavrentiev had left Belgrade for Moscow "some weeks ago." He said the ambassador had been ill as a result of an inflammation in his back.

Asked whether Lavrentiev would be replaced, he said: "Why not? It is absolutely necessary."



MARGARET MITCHELL
'Gone With Wind'
Author Holds Own
After Relapse

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP)—Margaret Mitchell, famed author of "Gone with the Wind," was reported holding her own today after a serious relapse.

The 43-year-old Pulitzer prize winner was unconscious, and a physician described her condition as "extremely critical."

Monday night Miss Mitchell's temperature rose to 102 and her pulse dropped below normal.

The turn for the worse came late Monday night.

She suffered a fractured skull, a fractured pelvis, and possible internal injuries when she was struck down by a motor car Thursday night.

Vancouver Scratches

First race becomes second race.

First Race—Brian R. Medicine Hat, Dance Wind, El Dorado.

Second race becomes first race.

Second Race—Queen Rhymers, Sleaford, Top Rung, Ned's Pride.

Third Race—Flying Scarab.

Fourth Race—Joe Burger, Ashes Only, Calcium.

Fifth Race—Hurt, Mike Z, Don O' War, Diana Lass, Valdina Charm.

Seventh Race—Markendell, Lynn Valley.

Eighth Race—Still Time, Dutch Beauty, Top Tar.

Weather clear, track good.

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Lord Layton told the assembly there were three main stumbling blocks to early European federation:

1. The fact such an organization never has existed before.

2. Great Britain's special relations with the Commonwealth.

3. The fact several European Council nations do not belong to the Atlantic Pact defence set-up.

Urging the assembly to go slow on the federation plan, he proposed setting up a committee of experts to examine the whole question and report back to the assembly a year from now.

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NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP)—Yale scientists today expressed belief that a large number of cases diagnosed as poliomyelitis may actually be attributable to a new and apparently non-crippling virus.

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New Indian High Commissioner

Santadas Khushiram Kripalani, the new Indian High Commissioner to Canada, shown here with his wife (left) and daughter, Leila, as they arrived at Ottawa's Union Station. Mr. Kripalani formerly was Indian Consul-General at San Francisco and has been in the Indian Civil Service since 1922. (CP Photo)

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Fresh Strikes Mar Return Of Aussie Miners To Work

SYDNEY (CP)—Fresh strikes today marred the general resumption of work by Australia's coal miners following their seven-week walkout.

Miners at one pit in New South Wales went on strike when they were refused their usual monthly issue of one ton of coal from today's output. The management had offered to give them the issue from tomorrow's production.

The men in a Blackheath, Queensland, mine quit after re-

fusing to sign the mining register.

The general coal strike cost Australia £150,000,000 (\$480,000,000), according to one survey.

Industrialists say the full cost could not yet be assessed. All industry has been hit directly or indirectly by the strike and the effects will be felt for many months after full coal production has been resumed, they say.

It has been estimated that the coal loss was 2,000,000 tons.

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Commissioner Dies

MELBOURNE (BUP)—Donald Ross, former Canadian trade commissioner to Australia, died in Melbourne today at the age of 85. He was Canada's senior overseas trade officer until his retirement in 1934.

Pacific Pact 'Unrealistic' Ottawa Says

By RONALD A. NICKERSON

OTTAWA (BUP)—Canada is still lukewarm towards the idea of a Pacific defence pact patterned after the Atlantic treaty, a survey of senior government officials revealed today.

"We feel a Pacific pact along lines of the Atlantic pact is just not practical politics," a leading External Affairs source said. "The Atlantic treaty is based on the idea that there is a sharply-defined Atlantic community, whereas we think it nonsense to say there is a similar Pacific community."

"If any specific proposals for such a pact are put forward, and Canada is invited to sit in on any discussions, then we would consider the matter on its merits and decide accordingly. 'The one essential, we feel, is that the United States back the pact if there is to be one. Otherwise, it would be unrealistic.'

The U.S., however, has shown little interest in either of the two most-talked-about Pacific alliance suggestions.

One is the Australian proposal of a pact based on the Atlantic one, while the other is the skeptically-regarded Chiang Kai-shek idea of an out-and-out anti-Communist alliance, spearheaded by himself, President Elipio Quirino of the Philippines and President Syngman Rhee of Korea.

Official Ottawa reaction to the Australian idea was that it was, in the main, impractical.

Findings of the body, entombed in a shallow grave beneath a slab of freshly-laid concrete, ended a two-week police search for the Russian-born cobbler, missing from his home since July 18. His son disappeared Aug. 6.

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"We have received no information concerning any discussions in Australia with regard to a Pacific pact," he replied. "Certainly this government has not been invited to participate in any such discussions . . ."

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Marshall Aid Said Causing Split In European Economy

STRASBOURG (AP)—French Socialist Andre Philip said today the Marshall plan's organization for European economic co-operation is "dividing rather than uniting" national economies in Europe.

Philip told the Council of Europe's consultative assembly that this trend had occurred despite the fact that Marshall plan aid was "generous and intelligent."

He declared the Assembly must take rapid, forceful steps to unify Europe's economy to "avoid an absolute catastrophe toward which we are all moving."

Europe desperately needs an overall economic organization, the Assembly's opening phases,



MARGARET MITCHELL

Big Foreign Concerns Withdrawing Before Communist Advances

By SPENCER MOOSA

CANTON (AP)—The United States consulate general in Canton has been ordered to close down before Chinese Communists take the Nationalist capital.

Authorities confirmed the order today but refused further comment.

Already big British and American oil companies and other foreign firms were pulling out of the South China coastal city.

The closing date for the consulate would depend on the progress of the Reds' southward march. The decision marks a change in American policy.

The obvious conclusion is the State Department by now is fully convinced Greek guerrillas had attacked Yugoslavia.

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LATEST

Bombing Mistake

HAVELOCK, Ont. (CP)—R.C.A.F. officials at Trenton, Ont., said today the bombing Monday of Ray Outwater's farm, three miles northeast of Havelock, was an accident. Havelock is 25 miles northeast of Peterborough.

Attack Alleged

LONDON (Reuter)—Greek guerrillas radio alleged tonight Yugoslavia had attacked Greek guerrillas near Vlissi, northern Greece. The radio claimed the Yugoslavs fired on the guerrillas in an attack on their rear and flank.

Descent Halted

ABOARD VELERO IV, off Santa Cruz Island, Calif. (UPI)—A smashed floodlight today forced submarine explorer Dr. Otto Barton to call a halt to his second attempt to dive to the bottom of the 6,000-foot Santa Cruz basin.

Police charged the driver of the car, Hugh D. Gravitt, 28, with manslaughter. Police records show he has had 23 traffic violations previously against him.

The speeding car slammed her to the pavement and dragged her 15 feet.

Marsh, a semi-invalid as the result of a heart attack, held his wife in his arms until police and an ambulance arrived.

Wheat Crop Down

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's 1948 wheat crop is expected to be 391,500,000 bushels, 1,800,000 bushels less than last year and about 18,600,000 bushels less than the 10-year average for 1939-48.

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Cortisone, a naturally-occurring hormone of the adrenal gland, can also be produced laboriously from ox bile.

But the quantities are so small that only a few of the millions of sufferers from arthritis and only a few rheumatic fever patients can be given treatment in research programs.

New Jetliner Lands After Undercarriage Jammed Two Hours

TORONTO. (CP)—Canada's spanking new jetliner landed safely at Malton airport today after having been kept aloft for more than two hours by a jammed undercarriage. She was on a test flight.

Slight damage was sustained in the landing.

Members of the aircraft's three-man crew finally managed to operate the landing gear manually and bring the big plane down. At one point, Test Pilot Jimmy Orrell radioed that he might have to land on Lake Ontario.

The aircraft flew in circles over the airport to use fuel and lessen the danger of fire in case of a crash. Air traffic about the field was brought to a standstill.

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Council To Purchase Mechanical Figurer

The age of advanced science is about to come to the office of Esquimalt's treasurer.

To date, J. W. Allan, the municipality's financial expert, has been working understaffed and with only a 20-year-old adding machine to speed up the compilation of the many figures he deals with.

Monday night however, Esquimalt Council voted to spend \$225 on a new machine for the treasurer, which not only adds but subtracts, multiplies and divides as well.

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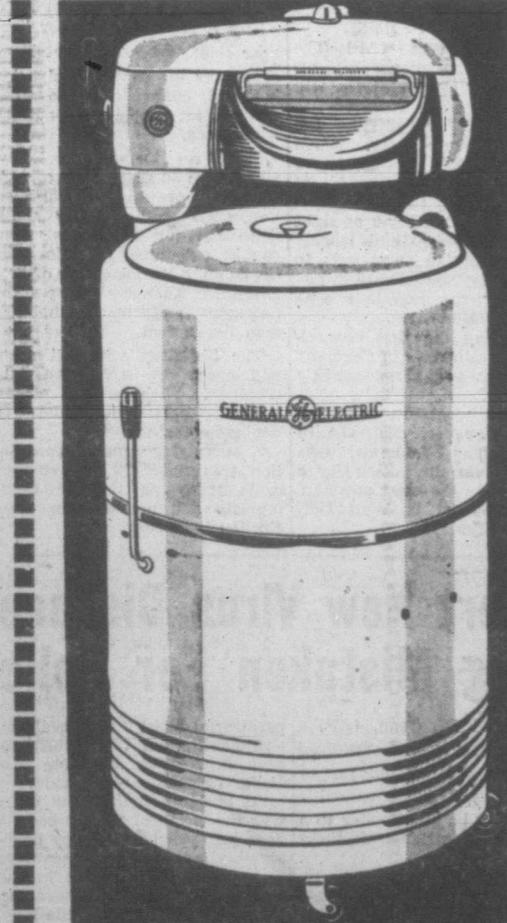
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One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

LAUGHING TO ORDER

QUITE BY CHANCE the other morning I left the radio on after the early morning news and, for the first time in months, heard the program of the Breakfast Club which, I believe, originates from a California studio.

And I must confess I was mystified at the gales of laughter which came over the ether for, in my humble judgment, the so-called witcracks and wisecracks that I heard didn't justify any such exuberant response.

It may, of course, have been that the accompanying antics of the "comper" of the show and the participants—visible to me—were sufficiently funny to induce such raucous shrieks of mirth.

APPLAUD, PLEASE!

HOWEVER, IT SOON became more than I could stand, so I switched it off. And while I was pondering over the inescapable fact that what is one person's humor is another's irritation, I recalled a radio show that was staged in a local theatre some years ago under the sponsorship of a commercial undertaking.

The young man in charge of it "briefed" the audience before the show started, instructing us to applaud at a given signal and to "make it real good, please, so that listeners in may really think you are enjoying yourselves."

And when, while the show was on the air, the audience response—either in the shape of applause or laughter—didn't come up to commercially-sponsored expectations, he would display a huge card exhorting us to applaud or laugh more loudly as, in his estimation, the occasion warranted.

As far as I was concerned, such response-to-order tactics killed what little enthusiasm I had to begin with, as well as sadly disillusioning me. But at the same time I am rather grateful to that show for one thing.

Being inflicted with a sense of the ludicrous, shall we say, which easily provokes me to laughter, and finding it extremely difficult even to smile at some of the so-called radio comedians, there have been times when I wondered if I were losing my sense of humor or even getting to the senile stage.

Now, I console myself with the thought that the studio audience may merely be laughing to order—rationalized by printed notice!

WANT IT STOPPED

ODDLY ENOUGH, THIS very laugh-to-order situation is the subject of much concern in British radio circles. But for a rather different reason.

The BBC has distributed a leaflet to studio audiences asking them not to applaud "gags" and only to laugh in "the right places." Some producers of radio programs resent this and have urged the audiences to ignore the BBC leaflet.

Others have even gone so far as to tell their audiences bluntly to go ahead and enjoy themselves naturally—laughing and applauding when they feel like it, or refraining if they don't.

FOR AUTOGRAPHS

SO IRATE ARE SOME of the producers at the BBC's attempted rationing of laughter that, at a meeting of their group, they described the leaflet as an insulting document, suggesting that audiences don't know how to behave themselves.

One producer solemnly proposed that the leaflet should be printed on thicker paper "since their main use is for collecting performers' autographs after the show."

All of which only serves to show that a sense of humor is not something to be turned on and off, as with a tap—even in a Britain where austerity has imposed a restraint upon almost every other pleasurable thing. The gift of laughter is a priceless possession but, deprived of its spontaneity, it loses much of its zest—for me, at any rate.

U.S. DISMISSES 62
WASHINGTON (AP)—Out of 9,987 cases handled by government loyalty boards, 62 federal employees have been dismissed on grounds of doubtful loyalty. Jobs have been denied to 29 per-

sons seeking them. This was reported today by the loyalty review board of the Civil Service Commission. The report covered work on the government loyalty boards since they were established in March 1947.

Saxe Point Park Said Disgraceful; Picnickers Blamed

Esquimalt's Saxe Point Park is in a disgraceful state of affairs, Councillor Fred Higgins, parks committee chairman, told the municipal council at its meeting Monday night.

"It's an absolute disgrace because of people throwing their refuse about," the councillor complained. "The place is literally covered with empty cake boxes, paper napkins and empty beer boxes."

Councillor Higgins said picnickers—"mostly from the city"—were to blame for the untidy conditions.

He said it was the desire of the parks committee that the park be used by residents of Esquimalt and other municipalities, but added those taking advantage of the place should leave it as tidy as they find it.

"It's not very encouraging for those trying to make a decent place for people to enjoy themselves, when thoughtless people do things like that," he commented.

Body Of Man Found Near Park Identified

Believed to have died from a heart attack, the body of William Howard Stranix, 66, of 4001 Carey Road, was found Monday evening at 5:10 on the side of Michigan Street near the entrance to Beacon Hill Park.

A retired employee of the city parks department, he had been by the park caretaker for many years. Body was discovered by D. J. Morrison, 2866 Colquitt Avenue, and is believed to have been lying there for several hours.

NO PERMITS

"No permits have been taken out in this regard and owing to this being National Defence pro-

Agreement Needed Between Central Mortgage, Esquimalt

While workmen have already been employed to build 75 houses at Macaulay Point for married service men with families, no arrangements have yet been made to provide regular municipal services to the homes.

The issue was discussed at an Esquimalt Council meeting Monday night. The situation is such, however, that members of the council do not know what to do.

As the houses are being built no property still held by the Department of National Defense

the municipal government appears to have, in the strict sense, no say in the matter.

"The question of storm drainage must be settled. If the sanitary sewerage of 75 houses is added to municipal drainage, it is quite a load; but if rain water is also added, the load will be entirely too much."

As well as needing sewerage facilities, the new homes will be wanting roads and sidewalks, street lighting, fire and police protection, water service and garbage collection, to mention just a few things.

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Thanks To City For Clean Beaches

Esquimalt Council intends to send a letter of thanks to the City of Victoria because the municipality's beaches are free from garbage this year.

The letter was the suggestion of Councillor A. C. Wurtele.

"For years the city was criticized because much of the garbage it dumped at sea washed back and littered our beaches," he noted. "Now the city has a new garbage crusher and this year our beaches are clean."

"The city got a number of knocks for a long time over its garbage. Now that the situation is remedied, it might be a good idea to show our appreciation."

Other members of the council thought so too. A letter will be in the mail at the end of the week.

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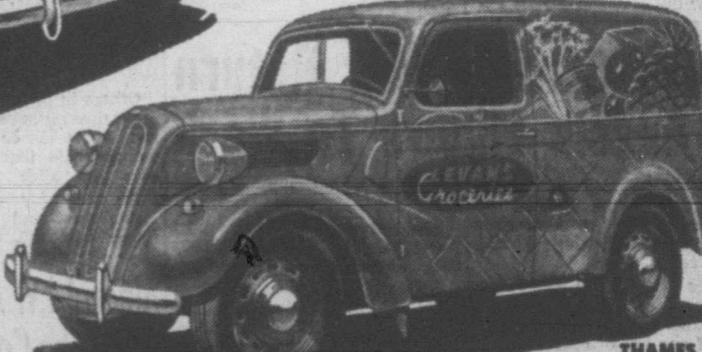
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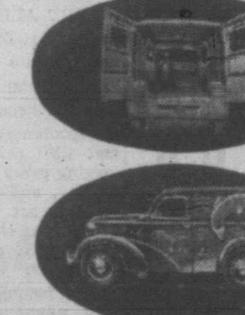


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ENDING 16 YEARS OF SILENCE

THESE WAS A COMMENDABLE DECISIVENESS in the way in which voters of Western Germany recorded their rejection of Communism in Sunday's balloting for a Parliament for the new Republic. Not a solitary "Red" was elected directly, although 15 of them will receive seats under the partial proportional representation system. That is a small minority indeed in an assembly of 402, and the Kremlin followers can plan on a policy of little more than minor obstruction in the face of overwhelming rightist and centrist representation.

In recording their political sentiments—and it should be noted that more than 75 per cent of the eligible voters went to the polls—the Western Germans also struck a strong blow for free enterprise. The Christian Democrats led the contest with 139 seats, and although the socialist Social Democrats were only eight seats behind, the bulk of the remaining members represent rightist parties of varying degrees. With the help of 52 Free Democrats and other non-Socialist members, a coalition government able to withstand even united opposition should easily be formed. The first free elections since the advent of Hitler in 1933 would seem to have got the Western Republic off to a good start.

While the advantages that will accrue to Western Germany as a result of the voting—a stable democratic government in these times is a nation's most valuable asset—the effect of the elections in the international field should be equally gratifying to the Western Allies. For the anti-Communist verdict of the German voters has re-emphasized similar decisions, within the past few months, recorded by the men and women of Italy, France and Western Berlin. National elections in the first-named country, departmental elections in France, and civic balloting in the former German capital all showed a pronounced determination to thwart the ambitions of those who receive their policies ready-made from the Kremlin. And it might be noted, too, that recent county elections in Britain blanched out Communist hopes in the usual decisive manner.

Communism has never yet won a free, unhampered political election, despite the importance it may seem to achieve in the realm of propaganda. The secret ballot is the strongest defense against totalitarianism, provided citizens have the energy and self-interest to exercise it.

P. C. RAWLING

NEWSPAPER PEOPLE THROUGHOUT British Columbia and in many parts of Canada will have learned with profound regret of the passing of Mr. Percy C. Rawling. A veteran of the First Great War, a member of the Victoria Daily Colonist's staff for several years during the '20's and, until his retirement, an editorial writer on the Vancouver Daily Province, Mr. Rawling had won the esteem of all the members of his craft.

Since he retired from active newspaper work a year or so ago, Percy kept his "hand in" by indulging his philosophic bent in respect of such subjects as appealed to him, and on the editorial page of the Vancouver Daily Province his "bits and pieces," as he often called them in intimate conversation with his friends, reflected his understanding of life's trials and tribulations. He was a keen student of the passing scene. He extracted much from his own library and clearly revealed the striking contrast between the wheat of his sound thought and understanding and the chaff of frothy rhetoric and useless hyperbole which is so often the substance of lesser writers.

Those of us who knew Percy Rawling and understood his philosophy of life realize that with his death the Fourth Estate has lost a genuine and outstanding craftsman.

INVITATION TO ADVANCE

THE POSSIBILITIES OF ACHIEVEMENT by the newly-formed Council of Europe, particularly if it should later evolve into a joint parliament for the countries of that continent, are almost boundless. Against these prospects are the problems inherent in almost every topic which the ministers' council and the consultative assembly may discuss. Disagreement on many of them will be wide, and perhaps bitter. But one of the things the conferences may do—and if they do nothing else they will not have been held in vain—is to heal and cover over the age-old enmity between Germany and France.

A striking move in this direction was made last week when Paul Renaud, who served as Premier of France in the early days of the recent war, urged his homeland and Germany to forget the traditional differences and hatreds that have marred their relations through history, and achieve a reconciliation that would enable them to go forward in peace and co-operation. Coming from the spokesman of a country that has known Teutonic aggression three times in less than three generations, those were magnanimous and encouraging words. They were not the plea of a weak country

hoping for tolerance from a strong neighbor, and that fact gave them added emphasis. They issued from a country that with the help of its allies came from the depths of enemy occupation to regain its position as one of the leading nations of Europe—a country which today can look across the Rhine from its own comparative prosperity to the ruins of the land that sought to dominate the world.

Spoken at this time and in these circumstances, the invitation is one that the new government of West Germany—and the still restricted people of the east—should not allow to pass. Much of the future of Germany lies in French hands, for it will be many years before the former Reich regains a position of full independence, and it would be greatly to the Germans' advantage to have a friend on their western frontier. It would be equally to Europe's advantage that the two countries should proceed in harmony and friendship, and that might justifiably be a factor in forming the decision of a nation that for several decades has brought nothing but suffering and death to the people of continental Europe.

Finally, the future of the world is also involved, for it is not to be supposed that France has not a discerning eye on global peace in making the offer. With the hands of the Kremlin attempting to grasp ever further westward, a firm Franco-German friendship would introduce an important factor in the continental situation, just as a continuation of Franco-German animosity would increase the international chaos on which world Communism feeds. M. Renaud is to be commended for his invitation. May we now be permitted to comment Germany for accepting it?

TOUGH TACTICS

A NEWS ITEM FROM PORT ALBERNI reveals that "lumber workers" of that region have given advance notice of their intention to strike if an unfavorable decision is made on their wage and contract demands. And they have followed up this threatening attitude by announcing that they are strongly against waiting for any "cooling-off" period following the strike vote which they have requested be held immediately if the demands are not met. Strike committees are being formed and every preparation made for an action that should only be the last desperate resort in any industrial dispute. The lumber workers seek increased wages, a closed shop and reduction in board charges.

In the same issue of the paper we read that Australian coal miners have gone back to work after a seven-week walkout. They had asked for higher pay, shorter hours and long-service leave—but none of the demands was granted. The strike was broken when a majority of the miners repudiated their Communist leadership and voted to go back to work. The country, meanwhile, in desperate straits, had had to recruit troops to provide a minimum of its coal requirements. The miners lost heavily in wages, prestige and the faith of their fellow citizens who were thrown out of work by the coal shortage.

It is not the intention to try to draw any analogy between the past Australian strike and the threatened British Columbia crisis. But the forest workers' tactics betray a belligerence and lack of any disposition to compromise which cannot fail to hamper the forthcoming negotiations. Their readiness to use their biggest club might well prompt a question as to which they desire most—the exercise of a strike or the fulfillment of their demands. It is easy to imagine the cry that would go up if the operating companies announced their intention to close up their businesses indefinitely if the labor negotiations were unfavorable to them. Something more than heavy threats—and they are threats against prospective consumers as much as against the companies—is needed if the lumber workers are to maintain the standard of dignity and intelligence to which labor is entitled.

HIGHWAYS MORE FATAL

SEVERAL AMELIORATING CIRCUMSTANCES were important factors in limiting to nine the number of lives lost when the Trans-Ocean Airlines Skymaster bellied down into the Atlantic off Ireland early Monday. The efficiency of the air-sea rescue facilities brought into play, the fortuitous location of a British trawler in the vicinity, and the assistance of another airline in providing direction—all these contributed to a life-saving accomplishment which deserves to be noted.

AT THIS SHORT and limited preview of the world's most interesting air liner and plane, which Britain's Minister of Civil Aviation has described as a "potential match winner for Britain," emphasis was again laid on the fact that the Comet is a sound money-making project and not an expensive freak, and correspondents were told that it is hoped to develop it into an Atlantic machine within three years.

Although the Comet has only yet made one flight and is not due for air line service until 1952 or 1953, there are few air experts in Britain who have any doubts that the Comet will live up to its promise. This plane is a really logical step forward in design—not a blind jump as its critics sometimes aver. Five hundred miles an hour is certainly a revolutionary speed for a 100,000-pound air liner but it is quite a moderate performance compared with the high speed fighters with which De Havilland's have had so much experience. On the speed and engine side, there should be great snags—nor should there be trouble with pressurization or air conditioning, both of which are engineering problems about which a great deal is already known.

Many an after-dinner speaker exhausts his audience before he exhausts his subject

De Havilland Comet

By CHARLES GARDNER From London

AFTER THREE years of secrecy, part of the veil has been lifted from Britain's new airliner—the four-jet De Havilland Comet. This sleek 36-seater has now been moved from its natal hangar; it has been shown to a select party of correspondents and immediately they were safely on their way back to London it was taxied out and flown for 31 minutes. Only official observers saw this maiden flight.

THE TIMETABLE of the hush-hush Comet is not without interest. It was first conceived in 1944 and 1945. In 1946 the final major decisions concerning its make-up were taken by R. E. Bishop, De Havilland's chief designer, and the plane was promptly ordered straight from the drawing board by the Ministry of Supply and airline experts. It was a gamble but one which they were prepared to take for the sake of British supremacy.

Between 1946 and 1949 details of the De Havilland 106 (it was not then named the Comet) were the best kept secret in the world of aviation. Rumors came from Hatfield of a swept-back stratospheric speedster which could cruise at 450 m.p.h. and fly happily at 40,000 feet. But De Havilland officials said nothing.

THERE WAS GOOD reason for this secretive policy. At that time Britain was the only country in the world which was building jet or prop-jet air liners. These machines (including the 106 and the Vickers Viscount) were being relied upon to put British civil aviation back on the map. They were postwar airplanes which were to catch up all the lost leeway of the war years.

Britain's lead in jets was considerable, but until the new planes were finished and flying it was still theoretically possible for competitors to rush ahead with something similar. And for that reason and that reason alone no technical details of the Comet were released until March, 1949, when De Havillands announced the following facts:

Firstly, that the Comet was intended for express services along the trunk routes of the Commonwealth and for inter-continental services; secondly, that it was pressurized to fly at 40,000 feet nearly double the height used by any existing civil machine; thirdly, that it would hold 36 passengers in fully reclining "sleepette" chairs; fourthly, that it was a low-wing monoplane with moderate sweep back; fifthly, that its four jet engines were De Havilland "Ghosts" of 5,000 pounds thrust each and were expected to provide a cruising speed of nearly 500 m.p.h.

THE FIRM ALSO underlined the necessity for improvement in world air traffic control so as to handle the 106 with fuel-saving slickness and they added that the plane was expected to have highly competitive economics and could use any normal aircraft.

That was on March 30 last. The next week inside the hangar two of the "Ghosts" engines were run up in a Comet airframe and on July 25 those hangar doors finally opened and the completed air liner was towed out. That same afternoon, watched by Sir Frank Whittle, Sir Geoffrey de Havilland and designer Bishop, all four engines were run and two days later photographs were allowed of the outside of the plane. As soon as the pictures were taken and the photographers were clear of the airfield, Test Pilot John Cunningham climbed into the cockpit and taxied the Comet for the first time. Two hours later he had the air liner up at 7,000 feet and kept it there for half an hour. On his return he reported "a highly satisfactory flight."

THE "OUTSIDE ONLY" inspection which had been allowed of the Comet shows it as a beautifully streamlined and conventional looking machine with a fuselage shape not unlike that of the Douglas DC Four Skymaster. The wings are of moderate thickness and have medium sweep back while the tail and single rudder are of normal straight-edged design. The engine intakes are grouped close to the fuselage, two on either side, and the "Ghosts" themselves are well buried. The finish of the metalwork is of very high order and costly riveting has been kept down to a quarter of usual by the extensive use of metal-to-metal glue which De Havillands first proved in the construction of the Dove. The windows are smallish but strong enough to stand much more than the 8½ pounds per square inch of pressurization which 40,000-foot cruising will entail.

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Just A Small Sample Of My Ingenuity, Mister



Changing Of The Guard

BBC London Letter

EVERY MORNING at 10.30

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The crowd watching the historic ceremony often consists of a couple of thousand people, who press against the railings of the Palace courtyard, crowd the steps of the Victoria Memorial that faces it and stand along the curb. Americans, Europeans, British subjects from every part of the Commonwealth as well as people from all over the United Kingdom are there, the most junior members of the crowd perched high on their fathers' shoulders.

PERFECT SETTINGS

When the King is in London the Guard is mounted at Buckingham Palace; when he is out of town it is mounted from the Color Court of St. James's Palace both perfect settings for the red coats and black bearskins of the Guards.

The Changing of the Guard is a unique and stirring ceremony that visitors to London are always anxious to see. Even in bad weather it nearly always draws a sprinkling of sightseers and in summer, in the streets behind the palace, dozens of motor coaches draw up and from

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CAMERAS CLICK

As the new Guard, preceded by its regimental band, comes swinging into the courtyard, hundreds of cameras click into action. Pictures of the Guards marching with the precision for which they are famous, a precision which seems as though their legs are controlled by a master switch and could not possibly be motivated by separate men, are not the only ones taken.

It is almost a matter of routine for visitors to stand at the side of a palace policeman or an amiable guardsman outside his sentry box, whilst another member of the party takes a pictorial record of the occasion. Recently a small kilned Scots girl was persuaded to stand there, a stance she was loath to take up, for a red-coated soldier wearing a huge bearskin and holding a fixed bayonet was a terrifying companion for a five-year-old and one she could not stomach without the physical as well as moral support of her mother.

IMPRESSIVE

The ceremony lasts half an hour and at its close the crowd melt away, each one of them unforgettable impressed by the beauty and permanence of English tradition.

As Our Readers See It

HAD A GOOD TIME

The Old Age Pensioners, Local 3, were taken to Port Angeles July 28 last. They also held a picnic at Beacon Hill on Aug. 9 last.

Having been at both events, I would like to express myself and, on behalf of many others, to thank all those who worked so hard to make such a success.

FRED YEOMAN,
945 Johnson St.

OUR SCHOOLS

We are told that the "difficult" child is far better off in a private school.

There is a point that might well be discussed from many angles.

Everyone who is not convinced that the Department of Education is doing a first-class job should study the bulletin of the Summer School of Education held in Victoria and Vancouver.

MARIAN N. SHERMAN,
2901 Seaview Rd.

AUSTRALIA'S "COMMIES"

It is good news that the Australian coal miners revolted against their labor-union bosses who wanted to prolong the strike during further negotiation—and insisted on returning to the mines at once.

It is a calamity they did not make that stand long ago. Strikes hit the workers and their families even more lately than the people and country in general, and that is because their children unless the parents are also helped. Here the public school has a far better chance of improving family relations than the private school. In the provincial school system help is offered to parents and children through the child guidance clinics. Added to this the Parent-Teacher Association is growing steadily and, as its influence spreads, home, school and community will become a harmonious whole.

The private school is at a great disadvantage when it comes to striving to open the minds of mistreated parents. Frank explanation of the reason for the child's anti-social attitudes is almost certain to arouse such strong emotional reaction in the parent that the child is withdrawn and the fees are lost.

Is it desirable for the private schools, or for the children in them, that they should be thought of as having a corrective function that is necessary because parents are incapable?

Unfortunately there are so many immature parents, due to the mistaken handling given to

them by those who are now grandparents, that for some time to come boarding hostels will be required to help the children until such parents become mature.

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R. C. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

VICTORIA HOUSING

A word of commendation is due to Premier Byron Johnson.

While building his own home in Victoria he has not been unmindful of his fellow citizens who are living in deplorable conditions. His success, we hope, will bring cheer to many—also show the skeptics that the Liberal Party keep their election promises.

B.C. is a great province and fortunate in having a very able Premier at the helm.

AGNES L. SPOSITO, 422 Kingston St.

BOER WAR VETERANS

I see by the Times that you have found another Boer War veteran and that I am the sixth veteran.

I served from February, 1900, to November, 1902, with the Gloucestershire Regiment, the 61st, and I met a few Canadians in Bloemfontein, and they all wanted to come back to Canada.

I can assure you that the Boer War was no picnic. Our regiment was in engagements at Paardeberg, Driefontein, Poplar Grove, and the relief of Kimberley, also on patrol duty at Sanna's Post where De Wet tried to blow up the waterworks that supplied the city of Bloemfontein with water; but the "Mad Gossers" happened to be in his way.

Sockeye Catch Down At Rupert

PRINCE RUPERT (BUP) — Worried fishermen today wondered how to meet expenses on their daily sockeye salmon catch, down 75 per cent from last season.

They said the usual catch per boat averaged around 100 salmon, but last week it had plummeted as low as 20 and 25 daily. On the other hand, fishermen in the Nass saline area reported catches for a 26-boat fleet were up as high as 2,000 and 3,000 daily.

Two Die In Riot

KARACHI (Reuter) — At least two persons were killed Monday in disturbances outside the staff quarters of the Indian High Commissioner to Pakistan in one of Karachi's main thoroughfares. India today is celebrating the second anniversary of her independence. The disturbance followed the hoisting of an Indian union flag outside the commissioner's quarters.

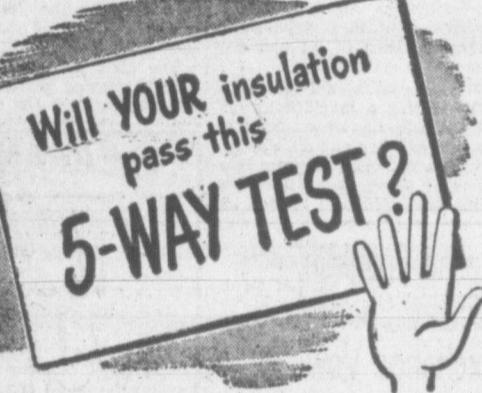
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Says Hospitalization Plan Has Accomplished Ambition

"It is safe to say that a great part of the original intention of the B.C. Hospitalization Insurance Service has been accomplished," Dr. J. M. Hershey, hospitalization commissioner for the province stated in an address to members of the Victoria Gyro Club at the Empress Hotel Monday.

Prior to Jan. 1 of this year, the hospital situation in British Columbia had been deteriorating due to the question of finances, Dr. Hershey said. Hospitals could not meet the budget and the problem of wages for personnel was another difficulty. Hospitals were "running on a shoestring," he continued.

In addition, needed repairs were steadily increasing and were forced to go by the board. The whole situation was one which would not correct itself. As a result of these problems, hospital rates increased with the public being the goat.

Dr. Hershey stated that only the government could make the proposed insurance plan universal. This plan reduced the rates within reach of the public.

"We have only one or two comparisons to make to realize how cheaply the public is receiving

hospital care today," he pointed out.

"Many persons have asked the question, 'Was it wise for the government to enter this scheme?'" he continued. "We now have the information necessary to answer that question. Thousands who found it impossible to pay premiums before are now able to meet the cost. There is a noted decrease in the demands for hospitals to meet unpaid premiums. As a result of this, municipalities have saved hundreds of thousands of dollars."

It was estimated that one in every five persons in B.C. were receiving benefits from the plan over the period of one year. In Victoria, over 8,000 were registered as "in-patients." This figure did not include emergency or "short-stay" patients, the speaker said.

A comprehensive survey had been taken of the hospital facilities in the province, Dr. Hershey added. It had been found that the problems in B.C. were the same as found in the other provinces but that in B.C. they were dwindling in size more rapidly compared to other centres.

Gold Mining Subsidies To Cost \$10,000,000 In Year

Ottawa (CP) — The federal government's plan to help Canada's gold mining industry through subsidy is expected to cost \$10,000,000 for the first year of operation, it was learned yesterday.

Finance Minister Abbott will release the final figure when he makes his report to Parliament some time after the next session opens Sept. 15.

By law he will have to make his report within 15 days after commencement of the session. His report is expected to show that the government paid out an average of \$3.20 for each of the 3,100,000 ounces of gold Canada produced in 1948.

The subsidy plan, known as the emergency gold mining assistance went into effect in June a year ago as a result of mine complaints that current high production costs were hampering output.

Gold, when purchased by the United States, brings \$35 an ounce. Some new mines showed that it costs closer to \$50 an ounce to mine gold in the first year of operation.

The expectancy is that aided by the subsidy and through their own efforts, mines will produce 15 per cent more gold in 1949 than in 1948.

That will mean that at the rate of \$35 an ounce, Canada will be producing about \$120,000,000 worth of gold this year compared with \$100,000,000 a year ago.

That adds to Canada's dollar reserves, since the foreign ex-

Alerted For Tug After \$400 Theft

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, B.C. (CP) — British Columbia Police outposts along the mainland coast have been alerted for the appearance of an unidentified southbound tug, believed connected with a \$400 robbery.

The robbery involved theft of \$400 worth of men's and women's clothing from a logging company.

The towboat was believed heading for Vancouver.

Unofficial Conference

TORONTO (CP) — About 70 overseas delegates will attend the fourth unofficial Commonwealth relations conference at Bigwin Inn in Ontario's Muskoka district Sept. 8 to 18, the Canadian Institute of International Affairs announced Monday. Like its predecessors, the conference will be unofficial and private in organization and personnel, and neither sponsored by nor responsible to any public authority.

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Distinguished Visitors In City Wednesday

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The beautiful wife of the Canadian Ambassador to Italy, Madame Jean Desy, is accompanying her husband on a holiday tour of western Canada and north to Fairbanks, Alaska. The distinguished visitors are now in Vancouver, following a stop-over in the Canadian Rockies at Banff and Lake Louise. They will be in Victoria on Wednesday and Thursday and will stay at the Empress Hotel. This striking picture of Mme. Desy was made in Rome when the eminent photographer from Canada, Karsh of Ottawa, was touring abroad this year.

Circus Star Mother Loves Trailer Life

REGINA (CP)—The average housewife wouldn't give two cents for a life of following a circus around the country, living in a trailer, and raising a family there. But Mrs. Robert Henry loves it.

Mrs. Henry is the mother of a family slack wire act—The Elstons—which performed here recently at the annual Regina Exhibition.

For her, marriage and a family didn't mean much of a change. Before the birth of her two sons, she had a tight wire act of her own; now she helps her husband with their slack wire show under the big top.

On top of that, she's kept busy

raising her sons, Michael, six, and Richard, four. She sticks to a rigid schedule of housework in the trailer to have time for everything else. It's a cosy, attractive home, but since there is no chance for the boys to go to school on the road the oldest will be enrolled in school at the show's winter home at San Fernando, Cal.

Mrs. Henry still thinks it's a great life.

"I love the business, and I wouldn't change it for anything. Do you know I even had two children while we were traveling on the road?"

Farmer's Market

Homemade cakes, pies, cookies and candies, as well as garden produce, was donated by members of Parksville Women's Institute for a farmers' market held last Saturday morning. Proceeds of this successful sale will be used for the general funds of the Parksville Institute.

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VANCOUVER (CP)—A pioneer school in the field of manual arts comes of age this year.

It is the Academy of Useful Arts, the oldest institution of its kind in Western Canada, which is now 21 years old.

Specializing in designing and dressmaking, the school holds day and night classes the year round. Individual instruction is the rule and the students—girls and married women—can enrol at any time and take as much of the course of instruction as they wish.

Having contacts with leading New York designers, the school begins by teaching designing and tailoring and continues through a course of training in dressmaking, power machine operating and smocking.

It's graduates get a good start, too, for the school has its own placement bureau. Its chief worry during the last few years has been to find students enough to fill the jobs offered.

Successful Dance

The Moose drill team, sponsored by Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, and under instruction of Governor S. T. Cawsey, Lodge 1390, arranged a successful dance recently. Charlie Hunt's orchestra was in attendance and the door prize was won by Mrs. A. Keeley, Cumberland. At intermission a special program was presented with the following numbers: Franny Merriman, acrobatic; Tommy and Janette Alexander, Russian dance, and Marie Merriman, tap dances. The drill team also presented a short display, its first public appearance, with Mrs. L. Burnett as drill major.

Luncheon Parties Honor Visitor From Philippines

Honoring Mrs. V. Oteyza de Guia, vice-mayor of Baguio City, Luzon Island, the Philippines, who is a visitor in Victoria at present, an informal luncheon was planned today at the Empress Hotel by heads of city and provincial welfare departments. Those present were Ald. Margaret D. Christie, Ald. and Mrs. F. Williams, Mrs. Florence Muttie, administrator of city and social welfare; Ald. and Mrs. D. D. McTavish, Ald. and Mrs. Waldo Skillings, Mrs. H. L. Smith, president, Women's Canadian Club; Dr. Marian Sherman, president, Community Welfare Council and Local Council of Women; Miss Marjorie Baird, director of the Victorian Order of Nurses; Miss Marie Riddell, director, Family Division, Provincial social welfare; Miss Mildred Wright, superintendent, Children's Aid and Family Welfare.

Mrs. A. Pednault and her two sons are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dewhurst, Salt Spring Island. They do not expect to return to their Victoria home until the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Gardiner and their family have returned to their Victoria home after a holiday on Salt Spring Island. The guests of Mr. Gardiner's father, Mr. J. Gardiner.

Mrs. Anthony Ecker, Compton, Calif., is spending a month's holiday in the city as guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Woodriff, Fernwood Road. Mr. Ecker will come from California shortly to join his wife.

Of interest to his friends in Victoria is the announcement that Mr. Geoffrey B. Archer of St. George's Indian School, Lytton, B.C., is leaving to take the position of house master at The Mohawk Institute, Brantford, Ont.

Vacationing in Victoria for the next 10 days are Mrs. Anna Lemon Robinson, member of the staff of Puente College, Puente, Calif., and Mrs. Cavanaugh of San Francisco. They are staying at Belleville Lodge on Belleville Street.

After holidaying on the island for the past month Miss Marie Macdonald and Miss Pauline McInnis of Kenora, have left for Vancouver en route to their home in Ontario. While in the city Misses Macdonald and McInnis were the guests of the former's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dawson, Douglas Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde MacDonald, Dunsart Road.

Mrs. W. Arnot entertained at the tea hour Sunday afternoon in the Empress Hotel, to honor her niece, Miss Jean Gourlay, whose marriage to Mr. Gordon Copp will take place Sept. 1. Mrs. James Gourlay and Mrs. W. E. Copp, mothers of the bridal pair, received corsage bouquets. The bride-elect was presented with corsage bouquet and a gift of a silver compote on behalf of those assembled. Mrs. D. Y. Thomson poured tea and other guests were Mrs. D. Anderson, Mrs. W. Hay and Mrs. H. Lipsey.

In celebration of their 27th wedding anniversary, a no-host party was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Henn, Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island. Vases of gladioli, carnations and ferns were used to decorate the reception rooms. Assisting with the supper were Mesdames G. Dewhurst, H. Day, S. Donkersley and C. Wakelin. The evening was spent in dancing and with games and contests. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Tester, Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jordon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Telford, Mr. and Mrs. J. Neterveld, Mr. and Mrs. L. Shufelt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pednault, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wakelin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hougen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young, Mrs. B. Taylor, Mrs. J. Atkinson, Misses Margaret, Hazel and Lillian Henn, Audrey Malcheski, Messrs. S. Donkersley, H. Day, C. Wakelin, G. Dewhurst, A. Gardiner and G. Rogers.

Christening robes that had been worn by four succeeding generations of his father's family were also worn by the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Saunders at a christening ceremony last Sunday in Christ Church Cathedral, where he received the names Gregory Alan Kingsley. Dean G. R. Calvert officiated and godparents were Mr. K. Sedgman, Mr. M. Saunders and Mrs. F. Tupper. A christening tea was held at the home of the parents, 365 Arnot Avenue, following the ceremony. Among those present were Mrs. R. G. Summers, Brandon, Man., the maternal grandmother; Mr. G. Summers, Clydebank, Scotland, a great-uncle; Mrs. D.

Mr. Charles Lundy, director, provincial social welfare, and Mr. Archie McKinnon, Y.M.C.A.

Yesterday, members of the United Nations entertained at a luncheon at the Wishbone for Mrs. de Guia. Maj. John Simon presided and those present were Capt. J. M. Grant, Father McLeelan, Mr. Makowski, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Miss M. Riddell, Miss A. M. Eaton, Mrs. J. W. L. Price, Mrs. Norman Clarke and Mrs. A. J. Butterfield.

Members of the Y.W.C.A. board will entertain with a luncheon on Wednesday in the dining-room at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. W. G. Hamilton will preside.

Mrs. de Guia, traveling in

Canada on a United Nations fellowship granted through Unesco,

is on an observation tour in

Canada arranged through the

National Department of Health

and Welfare.

Mr. Benedict Bantly arrived

on the week-end from Puente,

Calif., and will spend several

weeks in Victoria. He is staying

at the Beverley Apartment Hotel.

Mr. C. Kennedy has arrived

from Islay, Alta., to join his

wife and children, who have been

holidaying with Mrs. Ken-

nedy's brother and sister-in-law,

Mr. and Mrs. J. Flatman, Happy

Valley Road. Mr. and Mrs. Ken-

nedy will return to their Alberta

home in about two weeks.

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Fernwood Road. Mr. Ecker will

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join his wife.

Covers were laid for 40 when

members of the National Education

Association tour of Washington, D.C., spent the tea hour

at Olde England Inn, Monday.

The visitors represented many

of the United States, and were

guided by Mr. O. F. Sletwood of

Sioux City, Iowa. Arrangements

for the visitors were made by

Mr. Willard Ireland, Provincial

Archivist and Librarian. Ar-

rangements of gladioli decked

the drawing-room and centred

the tea table. A talk on the 17th

century antiques entertained

guests.

The affair was to raise money

for the youngsters at Queen

Alexandra Solarium.

To the delighted amazement

of the four young conveners,

Barbara Sanson and Marlene

Briggs, both aged 11, and Maureen

Mackintosh and Sandra

Garrard, all school chums at Sir

James Douglas School, they sur-

passed their goal of \$25 and at

the end of a busy afternoon had

realized \$36.

San Franciscans Pictured Here



Junior Misses Raise Funds For Solarium



Marlene Briggs, Barbara Sanson, Sandra Garrard and Maureen Mackintosh, left to right, have worked since the school term ended on their summer bazaar, held at the home of Barbara's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sanson, 1314 Dallas Road.

Brightly decorated stalls were placed about the lawn, and cakes, sandwiches and tea were served in true garden party manner, at the summer bazaar, junior size, held by four enterprising young misses Monday afternoon.

The project was Barbara's idea. She has always been interested in the youngster at the Solarium and wanted to do something "on her very own" to help them.

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She enlisted the aid of her school chums and a vigorous canvassing of the neighborhood began. Articles of all and any types were sought.

It was a successful campaign.

There was a magnificent display. A collection of jewelry that rivalled any five and dime store; a variety of books, fragrant bouquets of sweet peas (from the neighbors' gardens); a wide as-

sortment of candles, and a fascinating superfluity stall.

No successful bazaar is complete without home cooking, and the girls had even managed a stall of cakes, cookies and preserves.

"Of course everyone was kind to us," Barbara states, "and it was fun doing the work. We did our own decorating and painting, too," she added proudly.

The girls publicized their bazaar by placing posters in store windows and by sale of tickets.

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All In The Family

CARLYLE, Sask. (CP)—Mrs. T. Evans, superintendent of the Carlyle nursing home for the last 20 years, is proud of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Douglas Evans. The first twins ever to be born at the nursing home were the superintendent's grandchildren. They arrived this summer.

To prevent film forming on cornstarch pudding, cover the serving bowl with waxed paper while the pudding is still hot. Secure it with a string or rubber band and when cool, set in the ice box to chill.



Victorians Holiday In Hollywood

Eileen and Lucille McBurney, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McBurney, 2635 Blanshard Street, Victoria, were guests of the King's Men at their weekly show over NBC during a vacation in southern California. Left to right are: Buddy Linn, Lucille, Ken Darby, who is the leader of the King's Men and master of ceremonies of their show, heard each Tuesday night as the summer replacement of Fibber McGee and Molly; Eileen, Rad Robinson and Jon Dodson. Eileen and Lucille returned to Victoria last week-end. The King's Men autographed their script for the girls.

Dorothy Dix

WIDOW LOSES FRIENDSHIP OF SON SHE ESTRANGED

Dear Miss Dix: I am a widow with a son 33 years old, to whom I am very much devoted. Three years ago I became alarmed when he began getting serious over a girl I considered unworthy of him. Thinking that it would break up the romance, I forbade the girl ever to enter my house, but this only resulted in my boy leaving home and marrying her. He gives me money if I need it, but never comes to visit me and has never brought his six-months-old baby to see me. The

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A LONESOME MOTHER.

Answer: A vast number of mothers believe that they have an infallible gift for selecting their children's mates, and that we would have no more unhappy marriages if only John would espouse the girl mom picked out for him and Susie would take mama's taste in husbands.

Possibly mother might make a more judicious selection of mates for their children than they make themselves; but inasmuch as no one is clairvoyant enough to know how any marriage is going to turn out, it does seem that those who take the risk are entitled to make their own mistakes. For marriage is a matter of taste, and whether it is a success or a failure depends upon whether one gets what he wants or not.

WOMAN OVERLOOKS TRUISM

All of us have seen so many mother-made marriages that ended in the divorce court that we are stupid, indeed, if we do not realize that marriage is a pie in which mother should never stick her thumb. And that is a truism, dear lady, that you seem to have overlooked. Your children are your children until they get husbands and wives and then they belong to strangers. They are on their own, and it should be hands off with you.

Today's Recipe

SUMMER SUPPER

Eight whole small potatoes, 12 whole small carrots, 1 cup green beans, cut in 1-inch pieces; 6 green onions, chopped; 1 cup boiling water, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt, $\frac{1}{4}$ cups thick cheese sauce, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley.

Cook the potatoes, carrots, beans and onions in the boiling, salted water until tender, about 25 minutes. Drain well. Add vegetables to cheese sauce, reheat and serve, sprinkled with chopped parsley. Yield: six servings.

CHEESE SAUCE

Two tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt, $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon paprika, few grains cayenne pepper, $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon dry mustard, 1 cup milk, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup grated cheese. Melt butter in top of double boiler. Blend in flour and seasonings. Add milk slowly, stirring until blended. When sauce is smooth and thickened, add cheese and stir until cheese is melted. Yield: about $1\frac{1}{4}$ cups sauce.

If through economy you are using drippings or margarine in a cake instead of butter, you can obtain a better flavor if you will squeeze the juice of a lemon over the fat and then beat them into a cream. It will also make the cake lighter in texture.

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

TODAY'S CHILDREN DON'T DO AS THEY PLEASE

You've heard innumerable persons say: "Oh, I have no use for these new ideas about child-rearing, children do just as they please."

This is one of those confused statements which the uninformed swallow and repeat. Usually the person talking is past the child-rearing age, or has never had any children.

What they do not recognize is that the more a parent knows about how children act and why they act as they do, the less reason there is for drastic, painful punishments. Disciplining is another

behavior, without altering one whit, their zeal in upholding the right and the proper. There is a difference.

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Babies May Squall As Parents Worship

NOTTINGHAM, England (CP)

Babies and young children may play and make as much noise as they like, in a specially equipped nursery in Addison Road Congregational Church while their parents attend the service.

The nursery was devised by Rev. Anthony Green to counteract a falling off in the attendance of married couples. In future babies will play in the nursery and be looked after during services by members of the Youth Fellowship League.

"They will also get their orange juice," said Mrs. Green.

Some men wear out shirts in prominent places before wearing out the whole garment. It is impossible to match all sorts of shirt patterns and one housewife solved the problem by removing pieces of patches from the tail of the shirt.

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In deciding what kind of heating plant you want, four questions must be considered:

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2. What type of heat distribution—hot water, steam, warm air.

3. What kind of fuel.

4. What kind of burner.

The design of your house will influence the type of heating unit you prefer. Steam systems are not ordinarily suited to basementsless houses, nor are gravity systems. A large percentage of new home builders, especially those with small homes and few rooms, prefer space heaters. In Victoria space heaters are highly practical where coal and wood, or oil stoves are used in the kitchens,

for auxiliary heat. There are many varieties of space heaters available, among the newest models are many oil burning.

Small home owners also find available an efficient variety of floor furnaces for basementsless homes, and gravity air furnaces where there are basements.

A large number of Victoria

home owners have installed automatically fed furnaces. Many have converted older type coal and wood furnaces to oil.

This is the time of year when home owners are well advised to look into their heating systems, and make any necessary repairs, changes or conversions, before the first chilly wave sends hundreds of people rushing to the experts for help.

WEST END PREFERRED

The majority of cities and towns in the United States locate their airports to the west of the community.

In the same house, situated in a once-fashionable section of London (CP) — Mrs. Nora Tierney, 29, was charged Monday with the murder of three-year-old Marion Ward, whose bloody and battered body was found in a bombed-out house Saturday.

Mrs. Tierney formerly lived next door to the slain child. Marion had been missing for 30 hours before her mutilated body was discovered. There was no evidence that the child had been sexually attacked but her head was bashed in.

In the same house, situated in a once-fashionable section of London, police also found the body of a man. There was no clue as to his identity nor how he met his death.

Woman Facing Murder Charge

LONDON (CP) — Mrs. Nora Tierney, 29, was charged Monday with the murder of three-year-old Marion Ward, whose bloody and battered body was found in a bombed-out house Saturday.

Mrs. Tierney formerly lived next door to the slain child. Marion had been missing for 30 hours before her mutilated body was discovered. There was no evidence that the child had been sexually attacked but her head was bashed in.

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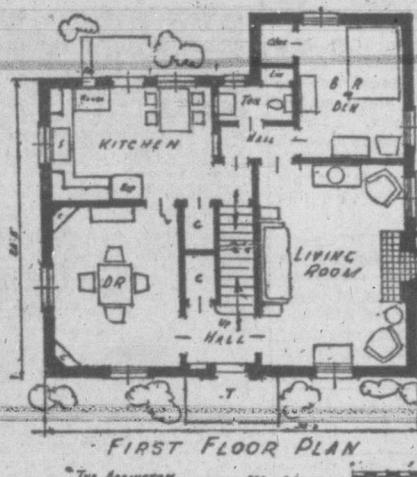
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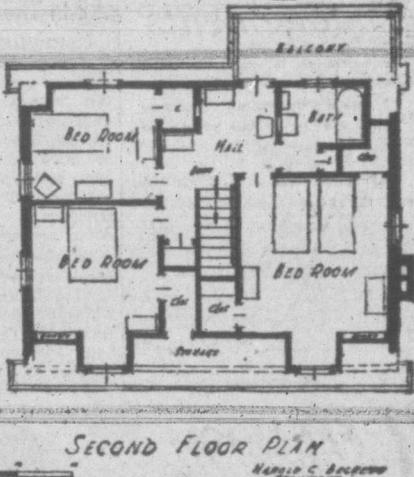
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City To Service School Equipment

An offer by the City of Victoria to have its signal service branch of the street-lighting department undertake the work of servicing and maintaining radio and public address equipment in the Greater Victoria school system was accepted by the Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening.

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Seeking Oldest Student

A full-scale search for a Greater Victoria resident who is the oldest former public school student of what is now School District No. 61 is under way.

Greater Victoria School Board trustees Monday evening decided they wanted this person to officiate at the opening ceremonies for the new technical-vocation school, near Victoria High School.

Trustees felt that, as the technical school is the first in the new school construction program, some special event should mark the occasion and so the search for the old-time student was under way.

Candidates for the honor are required to write to T. L. Paynter.

Appointment of three high school and five elementary school teachers to the staff of the Greater Victoria school system as from Sept. 1 on a probationary basis for one year was approved by Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening.

High school teachers whose appointment was approved are:

Phyllis L. Cowan, C. E. Holland and Norma Lovick.

Elementary school teachers whose appointment was approved are: Marguerite Nichols, Doreen Bonhote, Eunice Ledger, Jean A. Reid, Frances J. Paynter.

There also were approved appointments of 10 teachers on a temporary basis from Sept. 1 to June 30, 1950. Their names are: Mrs. Christine Dibb, Mrs. Dorothy Taylor, Mrs. Muriel Ann Douglas, Mrs. Gladys Petersen, Mrs. Margaret E. King, Mrs. Lottie Memeon, Mrs. Onaugh Painter, Mrs. Mabel Wiley, Mrs. Nellie Nelson and Hugh R. Mooney.

Revenue included: \$371,530, government grants; \$20,670, Victoria College tuition fees; \$3,322, other tuition fees; \$14,037, other revenue; \$941, unexpected balance, Dec. 31, 1948, and \$173,261, local assessment.

Expenditures to June 30, were as follows: general control, \$19,825; instruction, including salaries and supplies, \$772,638; operation of school plant, \$104,287; maintenance of school plant, \$96,926; promotion of health, \$17,624; auxiliary agencies, \$18,396; night schools, \$8,004; fixed charges, \$10,502; new furniture and equipment, \$5,589; debenture service, principal or sinking fund and interest, \$14,187; extraordinary expenditures, including new school buildings, and alterations and reconstructions, \$10,334.

Total estimated revenue for the year is \$2,047,020.

School Expenditures For First 6 Months Total \$1,068,616

Revenue of Greater Victoria School District for the first six months of this year totaled \$1,123,763, while expenditures totaled \$1,068,616, according to figures reported to Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening by Austin L. Curtis, chairman of the board's finance committee.

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Board Appoints Two New Principals

Appointment of two new principals was included in a list of 31 transfers of teachers approved by Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening.

Cyril A. Michell, transferred from Tolmie, will be principal of South Park School, and D. Reginald MacKay, transferred from Central Junior High, will be principal of Tolmie, succeeding Mr. Michell.

Of the 31 transfers, 24 were

between elementary and high schools, and seven were in home economics and industrial arts.

Beauty Contest Draws Nine Entries



—All Photographs By Roye

MAUREEN SMITH
... hopes for a career in music.

INEZ MACLEOD
... aims at modeling and furthering her commercial career.LOUISE MALONE
... has her heart set on singing.SHIRLEY GUNN, B.A.
... seeks a medical career.

Approve Application

Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening approved an application by the Victoria water commissioner for permission to lay an eight-inch main from Fort Street to Yates Street, across the grounds of Central Junior High.

Clothing Firm Expands Here

Les Palmer, prominent clothier, located at 715 View Street, announces the opening of another branch store at 1113 Douglas Street under the management of Jack Roberts, who is well known in Victoria with over 14 years' experience to his credit.

The new branch store will stock the finest in men's ready-to-wear and a complete line of accessories.

Made-to-measure suits and coats for ladies and gentlemen will be featured at the new store, which is now open for business. This is the third store opened by Mr. Palmer in Victoria and Vancouver.



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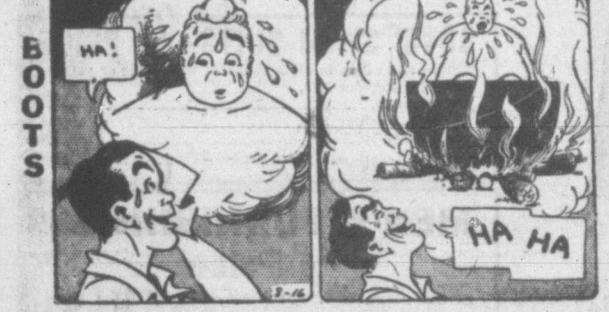
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"Got one that doesn't punch back?"

"I insist, gentlemen, this is on me—I'll wash the dishes!"

Bridge

ENDPLAY ESTABLISHES
NEEDED LAST TRICK

Today's hand was given to me by Ambrose Casner, one of the life masters of New York.

The musical world knows him for his association with music since the early days of radio. His sentiments also are well expressed on the Christmas cards he manufactures and sells.

Now that Casner has become a life master, you generally find him playing in a tournament with some friend, not necessarily an expert. But he plays to win. He is very strong in expressing to his partners the necessity of watching every little thing during the bidding and the play of the hand.

Today's hand does not have the necessary two and one-half tricks for an opening bid. Under the point-count system it has only a count of 12, 13 being required. But it is a two major suit hand and, therefore, should be opened. West's first thought is, South on a psychic? A

By
Wm. E. McKenney
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♦ A 8 3	♦ 9 7	♦ 10 6	♦ 10 4
♦ 9 4	♦ 8 5 3 2	♦ 10 8	♦ 10 5
♦ A K Q J	♦ W	♦ E	♦ J 9 8 7 6
♦ 8 4	♦ 7	♦ 6	♦ 5 4
♦ A 2	♦ 4	♦ 3	♦ 2

Tournament—Neither yet.
South West North East
1♦ 3 N.T. Pass Pass
4 N.T. Pass Pass
Opening—♦ Q 9

double by West might prove unprofitable.

Casner's recommendation is that West should jump to three no trump. He practically has nine tricks in his own hand. When South bids four hearts, West knows that South is bidding a two-suit hand. It is now a close question whether West should double or bid four no trump. Casner bid four no trump.

The opening lead of the queen of hearts was won with the ace. The six diamond tricks were cashed. South had to bide now to the king-queen of spades, king-eight of hearts and the king-six of clubs. The ace of spades was cashed and South was thrown in with a spade. He was end-played for the opponents' needed 10th trick.

Capitol Theatre

Shelley Winters, the blonde actress who soared to overnight fame as the waitress in "A Double Life," was very happy over the reception she received during production of Paramount's "The Great Gatsby" drama now at the Capitol Theatre.

Odeon Theatre

Moviegoers will think for a while that they are still looking at "The Egg and I" when they see "Ma and Pa Kettle," sequel to the Betty MacDonald best-seller filmed two years ago. The film is currently at the Odeon Theatre. They will be seeing 14 members of the "Egg" cast.

Royal Theatre

A novel sequence in the film "My Dream Is Yours," now showing at the Royal Theatre, presents Bugs Bunny, Warner's popular cartoon star, plus his pal, Tweety, in an elaborate song and dance dream-flash.

Atlas Theatre

Charles Bickford, cast as the foreign correspondent in "Command Decision," now at the Atlas Theatre, was born in Cambridge, Mass., and is one of Hollywood's veteran stars, with a long list of distinguished screen portrayals to his credit.

A fall tea for retiring teachers will be held Sept. 23, it was decided by Greater Victoria School Board Monday evening.

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Schroeder Question Mark

RYE, N.Y. (AP)—Tennis observers who watched Australia's Davis Cup team overwhelm a highly-touted Italian pair 5 to 0 in the inter-zone final here during the week-end, today nursed a suspicion that the Aussies are going to be rough in the challenge round Aug. 26 to 28.

The United States team picked yesterday—Ted Schroeder, Pancho Gonzales, Gardner Mulloy and Billy Talbert—still rates the favorite in the big play-off at Forest Hills, N.Y., but not by any one-sided margin. This one could be close.

In the three challenge rounds played since the war, the Australians have won just one match out of 15.

This certainly is a stronger Aussie side than that of '48 which didn't win a match. Mainly it boasts in 22-year-old Frank Sedgman a player of brilliant promise. He had two match points against Schroeder at this year's Wimbledon. Billy Sidwell, who now appears to be the logical choice to play the second singles—leaving the veteran John Bromwich rested and fresh for his specialty, the doubles—is an improved player over last year.

Many of his shots yesterday as he slaughtered Marcello Del Bello, Italy's No. 2, by 6-1, 6-0, bordered upon the sensational.

When the Australians discuss their chances, they always get around to observing: "Yes, but we've still got Schroeder. We can't win the cup unless we beat Ted, and he takes a lot of beating."

If Sedgman and Sidwell should surprise and gain an even break in the singles, Australia would have to be given a good chance to lift the cup. Sedgman and Bromwich form a doubles team of real class—one good enough to have won the Wimbledon title a year ago.

Pro Pats Juniors Travel To Mainland For Boxla Playoff

The Pro Patria team which will represent Victoria in the junior playoffs of the B.C. Lacrosse Association will journey to Vancouver Friday and play a sudden death game with Vancouver for the right to represent B.C. in further play-downs. The game will be a preliminary to the InterCity League game in the Vancouver Forum.

The juvenile A play-offs will open in the Nanaimo Arena Saturday night and the Joker Selkirk will journey up-island as this city's representative. Game time will be 7. The second game will be played in the box at Stevenson Park, but as yet no date has been set.

The Pee-wees and Bantams will open their playdowns in the up-island city Aug. 27.

The second game of the semi-finals of the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association, between the Tlicicums and Jokers, is on tap for tonight at Stevenson Park.

Tlicicums eked out a 7 to 5 victory in the first game, and tonight's clash should be a thriller as the Jokers strive to get back on even terms.

Game time is 6.45.

EATON'S LINE-UP

Eaton's line-up for tomorrow's cricket match against the Colts at Beacon Hill at 2.30 follows: Oakman, Napper, Harper, Sherratt, Parker, Gardiner, Petch, Lowe, McIlvenny, Blevens and Scott.

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Governor-General's Prize Winner

Lt.-Col. S. Johnson of Calgary, winner of the Governor-General's prize at the annual Dominion of Canada Rifle Association meeting at Ottawa, receives his gold watch and \$200 from Hon. Colin Gibson, Minister of Mines and Resources. Col. Johnson tied with Maj. G. C. Baker, Kentville, N.S., for first place and nine extra shots were required to break the tie.

Contentious Baseball Bonus Rule To Be Tossed Out By Big Leagues

NEW YORK (AP)—After three confused years it looks as if baseball is going to toss out its bonus rule.

The average fan probably will appreciate this move. He doesn't understand the rule anyway. And the fan isn't alone. There are plenty of baseball men who aren't sure about all the complicated regulations.

The bonus rule is a set of regulations to govern the baseball life of exceptional players. It began Feb. 15, 1947.

This code stretches from the lowest minor league through the majors. Since the regulations are basically the same except for the money involved, this breakdown covers only the majors.

A bonus player is one who: 1. Was paid more than \$6,000 cash for signing a contract with a major league team, or

2. Received anything worth more than \$6,000 for signing, such as a house and car, or

3. Was signed to a contract calling for a starting salary of more than \$6,000, or

4. Got any part of the money paid by a major league team to a minor league team for his contract.

In other words, no matter

Suppose after cutting through all the red tape, a player is classified as a bonus performer. What happens then?

TOP HIS CAREER

First of all the player is to be known as a bonus player the rest of his career unless at some time he is fired outright—given his unconditional release.

The player has to be kept by the major league team unless he is fired, or unless his team wants to ask waivers on him.

To ask waivers means to announce to the other 15 major-league teams that the player is for sale for \$10,000. The last-place team in the same league gets first chance. Then the seventh-place team and on up to the first-place club. Then the eight clubs in the other league get a chance in the same order.

If nobody wants the guy, his club then can send him to a minor league.

If somebody says "We'll take him, the club has to let him go.

With any other player the club could change its mind and remove him from the waiver list.

In other words, no matter

what a youngster's present ability, the major league team must keep him on its roster or give him up to another major league club. He can be sold or traded only to a major league team but if he carries his bonus tag with him, he gets little chance for minor league seasoning.

FAILS TO WORK

This is what soured the magnates on the rule. They had figured it would do away with fantastic payments to untried youngsters. It didn't.

There now are less than 20 bonus men in the majors and less than half of them are regulars.

The executive council of the major and minor leagues has voted to do away with the bonus ruling. This puts it up to the some 400 organized teams. If three-quarters agree, the rule goes out.

Bonus players will remain tagged as bonus players until Jan. 1, 1953. Then the special regulations will die and the special players will become just one of the boys.

Patrick Buys Three Players For Cougars

Victoria Cougars of the Pacific Coast Hockey League today boast five players on their roster. Owner Lester Patrick today disclosed deals that have brought three youngsters into the fold. They join Hildebrand and Bernie Strongman.

From Fort William comes Mori Geegan, 180-pound defenceman. Twenty-one years of age, he stands five feet nine. Rights to Geegan were purchased from Boston of the National Hockey League with the Bruins having the right to repurchase if Geegan shows major hockey possibilities.

Geegan played last season in the Quebec Senior Amateur League and showed much promise, Patrick said.

Two other players are right winger Roy McKay and defenceman Donald (Bud) James, purchased outright from the San Francisco club of the Coast League. McKay, 24 years of age, weighs 155 pounds and is five feet seven. He hails from South Porcupine, Ont. James, aged 21, is five feet 10 and tips the scales at 195. His home is at Kirkland Lake, Ont.

OTHER DEALS

Patrick stated he had several other deals cooking and would be in a position to announce additional playing personnel within a short time. Meanwhile, he and business manager Fred Hutchinson are busy looking after the many details relative to the opening of the season here the afternoon of Oct. 10.

Lester will leave Victoria the first week in September to attend an N.H.L. meeting in Montreal. During that session it is possible he may come up with the playing coach of the Cougars.

Despite the downpour, however, top-seeded Paul Willey, of Vancouver, managed to win his match against New Westminster's Al Wiesner 6-1, 6-0, before rain stopped play.

Three other junior men's singles titles were played off.

In the boy's singles, under-15 class, Portland's Jimmy Flynn scored an easy win over N. W. Wood.

Rain Holds Up Play In Junior Tennis

VANCOUVER (CP)—That long-standing jinx of tennis tournaments—old man rain—stayed around long enough Monday to wash out most of the first day's play in the B.C. junior clay courts championships here.

Despite the downpour, however, top-seeded Paul Willey, of Vancouver, managed to win his match against New Westminster's Al Wiesner 6-1, 6-0, before rain stopped play.

"It certainly is not our wish to have situations like this arise, but when they do it is our duty to the membership to stop everything and hold an inquiry," president Gray explained to Schroyen and his boat occupant and witness, Cliff Heglin, who attended the meeting.

Top-seeded Patsy Heard, of Portland, was given a bye into the second round of the junior ladies' singles, as was Vancouver's second-seeded Barbara Wood.

Creighton, Vancouver, winning 5-6, 6-0.

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Detroit Trades Quackenbush To Boston In Major Hockey Deal

DETROIT (AP)—All-star defenceman Bill Quackenbush went to Boston Bruins today in a six-player swap announced by Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League.

The Wings traded Quackenbush and forward Pete Horeck to Boston. In return they get forwards Jimmy Peters and Pete Babando and two defencemen, Clare Martin and Lloyd Durham.

Detroit forward lines have been badly undermanned in the last two Stanley Cup playoffs and Red Wing manager Jack Adams said he was willing to sacrifice the dependable and popular Quackenbush to bolster them.

"We want the Stanley Cup," he declared. "We have defence men. We don't have forwards. You can be sure I hate to lose Quackenbush."

"But I have watched Peters and Babando since their junior hockey days, and they are two players I always have felt would be valuable assets to the Wings."

GOOD SCORERS

Right wing Peters, 26, of Verdun, Que., and left wing Babando, 24, of Braeburn, Penn., both are husky, rough forwards who have high scoring records. Last year Peters scored 16 goals and 15 assists and Babando's record was 19 goals and 14 assists.

Quackenbush, a native of Toronto, has spent his entire big league career with Detroit. He was a unanimous all-star choice last season and is considered the best all-round defence player in the game today.

The 27-year-old star won the Lady Byng Trophy last year for going the entire season without a penalty.

Horeck, from Capreol, Ont., has had an uneven career with the Wings since he came to the club from Chicago in 1947.

Martin, six-foot, 185-pound defenceman from Waterloo, Ont., has a reputation as a crushing body checker, but an injured knee has bothered him recently. Durham spent last season with Tulsa in the United States League.

Japanese Swimmers Seek U.S. Titles

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Japan re-enters international sports competition today as its six-man team sets out in quest of the U.S. swimming and diving championships.

World record-shattering Hironoshin Furuhashi, young Japanese political science student, known as the "Flying Fish of Fujiyama," will be the cynosure of all in the preliminaries of the 150-metre freestyle swim.

Furuhashi should not be pressed to qualify. He is the unofficial holder of three world records, including a 1,500-metre freestyle clocking of 18 minutes 37 seconds. This betters the existing world standard by more than 21 seconds.

Today's competition is limited to the 150-metre swim preliminaries.

SOCER MEETING

The Esquimalt senior soccer club will hold its annual general meeting at the Fraser Street Hall tomorrow night at 8, it was announced by manager Joe Watt. All last year's players and others interested are asked to turn out.

JUNIOR BUTTON GOLF

R. F. Fleming and J. Merriman, Gorge Vale, successfully defended the city junior golf tournament over the week-end defeating T. Burns and T. Harris of Colwood 5 and 3. Winners had a best ball of 72.

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Adanacs Score Win In Rough Boxla Tilt

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Jack Wood's Salmonbellies bowed out of this season's Inter-city Lacrosse League chase last night after a blood-soaked 13 to 11 decision for the last playoff spot with their arch-enemy Adanacs.

Adanacs outscored Salmonbellies 4 to 3 in the first and third quarters, with the redshirts having an identical edge in the second period to enter the finale behind, 11 to 10. Whitey Severson fired the winner in the last minutes.

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Coates-Thompson Win Box Lacrosse Honors

Norm Coates of the Tillicums and Al Thompson of Foul Bay carried off individual honors in the final statistics for the senior lacrosse league released today. Coates, close to the top all season, finished as the number one scorer with 14 goals and 32 assists for 46 points.

Thompson completed the league campaign as the number one goalie. Thompson stopped a total of 275 shots on goal and waved his stick on 107, giving him the high percentage of .719. Bill Andrews of the Jokers, who appeared in only five games, finished with the smart percentage of .757.

Coates, close to the top all season, finally caught Jackson Walker, Foul Bay, at the three quarter mark but entered the

League statistics following:

	G.	S.	G.	A.	Tl.	Pen.
N. Coates, T.A.C.	16	51	14	32	46	0
G. Ellis, Jokers	16	82	35	5	40	32
J. Walker, Foul Bay	16	48	20	18	38	20
L. Booth, Jokers	16	83	26	11	37	67*
E. Popham, T.A.C.	16	65	23	14	37	0
G. Bamford, T.A.C.	16	48	18	13	31	14
L. Scott, Foul Bay	15	30	5	24	29	24
A. Green, T.A.C.	16	49	25	2	27	31
T. Halbert, Foul Bay	12	37	22	5	27	2
J. McKeachie, Foul Bay	16	53	18	7	25	14
V. Sage, Foul Bay	14	46	17	8	25	0
K. Banks, Jokers	16	38	16	7	23	10
W. Scott, Foul Bay	14	46	17	2	19	4
J. Bamford, T.A.C.	15	29	8	11	19	12
T. Drue, Foul Bay	12	51	9	9	18	24*
J. Reid, T.A.C.	13	47	14	2	16	11*
A. Hudson, Foul Bay	14	37	8	8	16	10
R. Temple, Jokers	14	26	8	8	16	6
J. Pickford, T.A.C.	9	27	9	6	15	2
J. Thompson, Foul Bay	16	27	7	8	15	18
G. Ritchie, T.A.C.	14	53	11	3	14	6
T. Joyce, Jokers	10	25	8	6	14	23
R. Mason, T.A.C.	11	27	7	7	14	2
A. Green, Foul Bay	13	14	7	7	14	2
B. Long, T.A.C.	10	31	12	1	13	26
A. Brown, Jokers	16	27	7	6	13	22
A. Rhodes, Jokers	15	35	10	2	12	18
D. Henderson, T.A.C.	16	31	6	6	12	2
K. Drue, T.A.C.-Foul Bay	11	19	9	2	11	23
C. Scroggie, Jokers	12	22	5	4	9	0
R. Lawrence, T.A.C.	16	15	7	1	8	10
F. Fellow, Jokers	15	12	4	4	8	22
J. Bryant, Jokers	6	16	3	5	8	5
B. Aitken, Foul Bay	8	15	6	1	7	2
H. Irwin, Foul Bay	6	19	5	2	7	4
R. McMillan, Jokers	11	13	4	3	7	25
E. Cunningham, Jokers	16	16	4	2	6	11
D. Thomas, Foul Bay	13	8	3	3	6	27
A. Booth, Jokers	12	12	3	2	5	6
A. Denon, T.A.C.	6	10	2	3	5	2
D. Chungan, Foul Bay	4	15	3	0	3	0
V. Jones, Foul Bay	14	12	3	0	3	14
D. Stinson, Jokers	4	6	3	0	3	2
D. Cory, T.A.C.	8	6	1	2	3	2
F. Gower, Foul Bay	5	6	1	2	3	2
R. Thomas, Jokers	3	4	1	0	1	2
B. Thompson, Jokers	7	4	1	0	1	4

*Does not include match penalties.

GOALTENDERS' RECORDS

	G.	S.S.	G.A.	Pct.
B. Andrews, Jokers	5	131	42	.757
A. Thompson, Foul Bay	14	275	107	.719
J. Hetherington, Jokers	5	103	46	.691
B. Long, Tillicums	13	244	127	.657
K. Banks, Jokers	0	5	3	.625
Joe Bryant, Jokers	6	97	74	.567
A. McKin, Foul Bay	2	36	28	.562
L. Aitken, T.A.C.	3	32	28	.533

Banks substituted in goal for one period due to an injury to Bryant.

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Sports Round-Up

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

NEW YORK (AP)—The United

States Davis Cup selection committee must have heaved a long sigh of relief when Pancho Gonzales got 'em off the hook by walloping Gardnar Mulloy in the Newport tennis finals. . . . Had Pancho lost, the committee might have had a tough time deciding between him and Frank Parker for one of the singles berths, and an even tougher time explaining to Parker if they picked Gonzales.

As it is, the United States will be defending the cup against Australia with the national champ Gonzales and Wimbledon titleholder Ted Schroeder, the country's two top-ranking singles players, and Mulloy and Talbert, which is as it should be. . . . But it's been a screwy year. . . . First Parker, beat Talbert, who eliminated Gonzales, for the Spring Lake title. . . . Then Gonzales whipped Brereton in the national clay court tourney and stopped Mulloy at Southampton, where he again lost to Talbert in the finals. . . . Come the eastern grass courts championships and Mulloy dumped Talbert in the semi-finals before picking up the silverware. . . . Now, with Gonzales apparently back on the beam, the Yanks say bring on those Aussies.

TIMES CHANGE

When Yale's Jim Fuchs shattered the world shot put record in Oslo recently with a tremendous heave of 58 feet, 47 2/4 inches, the story was just another item on most of the sports pages. . . . One of the great individual sports achievements of the year, a similar performance two decades ago would have been front page news.

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8.02 1.5	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
8.50 1.2	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
9.00 1.0	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
9.50 0.8	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
10.00 0.6	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
10.50 0.4	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
11.00 0.2	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		
11.50 0.0	10.10.18	10.38	6.9		

SUNRISE AND SUNSET Pacific Standard Time Aug. 17—Rites 5:08 a.m.; sets 7:36 p.m.

Boston Moves Within Three Games Of Yanks

Boston Red Sox are beginning to sniff that world series money.

The Sox, presumed dead on July 4 when they occupied fifth place, 12 games off the American League pace, charged within three games of New York Yankees last night by beating Washington 3 to 2 as the Yanks dropped a 9 to 5 decision to Philadelphia.

Washington carried the Red Sox 11 innings before submitting. A six-game romp over the Senators enabled the Sox to end their 33-game home stay with a 19 to 4 record and seven straight victories.

Joe Dobson went all the way for Boston, as did Sid Hudson for Washington. Dobson led 1 to 0 going into the ninth, when the Senators squared matters.

The Senators took a 2 to 1 lead in the 11th with Sam Dente singling home Johnny Simmons from second, but Boston tagged Hudson in the last half for the payoff runs on doubles by Billy Goodman, Dom DiMaggio and a single by Ted Williams. Williams' hit, his lone safety of the evening, broke up the game.

The Athletics came from behind to nip the Yanks, scoring five runs in the sixth inning to overcome a 4 to 2 deficit. Rookie right-hander Duane Pilette was the victim of the uprising. Carl Scheib started and finished for the A's and the triumph ended his record at 88.

CLEVELAND WINS

Cleveland's third-place team also kept its hat in the ring, shading Detroit Tigers 4 to 3 in 10 innings at Cleveland. The Indians are four games away from the Yankees.

Bobby Feller beat lefty Hal Newhouse in the tight encounter that ended when pinch-hitter Hal Peck singles with the bases loaded and one out in the 10th. The victory was Feller's sixth straight and 12th of the year.

Feller had a 2 to 1 lead going into the ninth when Vic Wertz belted his 13th homer with Dick Wakefield aboard to put the Tigers ahead 3 to 2. Bob Kennedy sent the game into overtime with his fifth homer in the bottom half.

The best-pitched game of the evening was turned in by lefty Bill Wight of Chicago White Sox, who turned back the Browns 8 to 0 on two hits in St. Louis.

Harry (The Cat) Brecheen hurled St. Louis Cardinals to within a half-game of the Na-

STANDINGS

W.L.P.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Yakima	83	42	.664
Vancouver	77	46	.620
Spokane	66	60	.524
Watertown	63	63	

Driver Of Taxi With Dynamite Load Scared Of Being Blown Up

In city police court this morning a taxi driver told how he became scared of being blown up when informed by Maurice Fraser, of Vancouver, that there was a quantity of dynamite in the back of his cab on the morning of Aug. 6.

Taxi driver was Joseph D. Brown, testifying at the preliminary hearing of Fraser, who has been charged with "unlawfully knowingly having in his possession dynamite, under such circumstances as to give rise to a reasonable suspicion that he had it not in his possession for a lawful object, contrary to the Criminal Code."

After hearing two witnesses presented for the prosecution by Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, Magistrate A. I. Thomas committed Fraser for trial.

"I have no other evidence now except corroboration evidence of a constable on holidays," said Mr. Harrison to David L. Sloan, defence counsel. The prosecutor, however, said he may have other evidence later on.

Brown, who is serving a 14-day sentence for a drunken driving conviction, asked for the protection of the Canada Evidence Act before giving testimony.

Witness said he picked up Fraser at the Melrose Cafe earlier the same morning and on

his instructions drove the accused to a side street off Royal Roads Road.

Brown, who said he had been drinking considerably, reported he fell asleep after Fraser got out of the car and was awakened by the slamming of the taxi trunk door.

On the way back to town, Brown said accused told him to slow down twice "because I have some stuff in the back." Brown said Fraser told him the second time the "stuff" was dynamite.

Brown said he became concerned and scared of the danger of being blown up and stopped the truck.

Brown said that at Tillicum and Gorge Roads he went into a store, had a cup of coffee and received two paper bags.

Witness said he put the dynamite in the two bags and placed it on the back seat of the cab. He considered this a safer place.

Brown said accused had been drinking.

Constable Lyle Somers told of stopping the taxi on Gorge Road and the subsequent arrest of Brown on a drunken driving charge and Fraser on the dynamite charge. Both, the officer said, had been drinking. Lying on the back seat, he said, were two paper bags containing 24 sticks of 60 per cent dynamite.

Playgrounds Hold Track Meet, Swim Gala Wednesday

Children of the city's 10 supervised playgrounds are all ready for the big interplayground track and field meet to be held at Royal Athletic Park Wednesday afternoon at 2.

Eliminations were held last week at all playgrounds, with winners chosen to represent their parks at the big meet. In addition to the usual races there will be a pie-eating contest.

There will be two entrants from each playground in each of 25 events.

In the evening, at 7, a swimming and splash gala will be staged at the Crystal Garden, with all children invited free of charge and a small nominal charge for adults.

The Pro-Ree will give a demonstration of trapeze and diving work and fancy and clown diving will be displayed.

A fine of \$25 was imposed against Murney Brenton, 414 Edwards Street, by Magistrate A. I. Thomas in city police court Monday. Brenton was found guilty on a charge of careless driving which arose from an accident at Courtney and Blanshard Streets on July 29.

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LANDMARK DISAPPEARING—The old Vancouver Hotel, long an outstanding feature of that city's skyline, is rapidly disappearing under the wreckers' hammers. It is expected that raising of the huge building, begun three months ago, will be finished by mid-October. —(CP Photo)

Bargaining Papers Issued To Unions For Other Workers

Wheels within wheels in operation of local unions were revealed today when the Labor Relations Board listed certificates of bargaining authority recently issued.

The Office Employees' International Union, Local 15, A.F.L., was certified for the office workers of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America's Local 1163, and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 230, both of Victoria.

In the list were six unions which will bargain for employees of 12 Vancouver Island companies and organizations.

Other Victoria certificates went to the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers of America, Local 1163, A.F.L., for employees of C. Schattenkirch; and to the International Woodworkers of America, Local 171, C.I.O.-C.C.L., for employees of Manning Timber Products Ltd.

At Port Alberni certificates were issued to Port Alberni and Alberni Automotive Maintenance Workers' Federal Union, Local 345, T.L.C., for employees of Port Motors Ltd.; to the same union for employees of Sowerby Motors Ltd.; and to the Hospital Employees' Federal Union, Local 180, T.L.C., for employees of West Coast General Hospital Society.

The I.W.A., Local 1-85, was certified for employees of J. H. and R. R. Milligan at Alberni, and the same union, Local 1-363, for employees of McMillan Brothers Ltd., Qualicum Beach. Three Courtenay certifications of bargaining authority were issued as follows: To the I.W.A., Local 1-363, for employees of Field Sawmill; to the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local 1638, for employees of Inkster Lumber Co., and to the same union for employees of A. H. Tilbe Retail Lumber Co. (Tilbe Retail Lumber Co.).

The present testing staff handles about 4,000 people a month and under the new plan many more than that will be tested.

Permanent testing units are stationed already at Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Mission, Chilliwack, Kamloops, Trail, Nelson and Vernon. Traveling units cover other parts of the province.

These units will be enlarged and others added, according to reports.

It is expected the tests will involve three phases.

The first will be on sight, which includes testing the eyes for accuracy, double vision, color blindness and depth perception.

Second will be the reaction test to determine how fast a driver reacts to circumstances.

Third will be an actual test of driving on the road.

For initial tests of drivers the department requires the questionnaire check which will be continued, but only for beginners.

May Abandon Written Test In Drivers' New Exams

A questionnaire check on driving laws and mechanical knowledge of cars probably will be dispensed with in the re-examination of B.C.'s motor vehicle drivers planned by the Attorney-General's department.

This was learned today when department officials reported the province's testing branch for motor vehicle drivers will be augmented on a permanent basis to take care of the re-examinations.

All drivers are to be tested every five years; those over 70 and class "A" chauffeurs will be tested every year; and those between the ages of 65 and 70 as well as class "B" chauffeurs will undergo examinations every two years.

The procedure to be followed in the re-examinations is being worked out now.

It is expected three or four months will be required to train personnel and receive delivery of equipment necessary for the periodic examinations.

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Clash Of Evidence On Driving Charge

Evidence of a passenger in accused's car and a witness in city police court today differed from that of Constable Aldon Appleton, alleging that Eric Whitehead, Saanich Road, drove dangerously on Douglas Street in the vicinity of Belleville Street on July 23.

Magistrate A. I. Thomas remanded the case to Thursday for judgment. Whitehead is charged with dangerous driving.

Const. Appleton said he observed a car that was going at "terrific speed, looking completely out of control, was on the wrong side of the street and looked as though it were going through Thunderbird Park."

The constable said when he stopped the car he said: "Whitehead this time you've gone too far and I am going to charge you with dangerous driving."

The policeman was the only prosecution witness.

Wilfred J. Jasper, 3002 Cook Street, who said he had seen Whitehead before but did not know him personally, judged the speed of the car at 20 miles an hour.

Miss Pearl Hayduk, 760 Batory Street, a passenger in the Whitehead car, said the speed on the car coming down the hill by the park was between 15 and 20 miles, that Whitehead slowed down at Belleville to let another car pass, that he kept to the right side of the road and did not swerve as the constable said.

James J. Proudfoot, counsel,

ANNOUNCEMENTS

C.C.F. News Commentary, to night at 6:55 on CJTV. May Campbell speaking on "Facts On the I.W.A. Dispute."

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ON WAY TO ALASKA—Jean Desy, Canadian ambassador to Italy, who arrived today in Victoria en route to Fairbanks, Alaska. He is accompanied by Mrs. Desy. They will leave here Thursday. —(Photo by Karsh, Ottawa)

Court Action For Hermit Living In Junk-Filled Home

Saanich police indicated today that court action will be taken against Leonard Laney, Lindsay Road, under the fire regulations as a result of the condition of his junk-packed eight-room home near the Provincial Mental Home.

Constable Robert Adrian and Deputy Fire Chief Glen Robbins inspected the home of the 69-year-old man Monday afternoon and found it cluttered waist-deep with junk of every description, the entrance path to the place also being strewn with piles of rubbish and debris.

Police reported that Laney, a hermit, has a fear of robbers and has some of the doors behind which his most cherished collections are held, locked with innumerable padlocks.

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Pleads Innocence On Vagrancy Charges

Pleas of innocence were entered by Michael Burns and Edward Burns, young Vancouver men, when they appeared before Magistrate A. I. Thomas in city police court today and had separate charges of vagrancy read against them.

They were remanded to Thursday for trial.

James J. Proudfoot appeared as defence counsel. The accused were arrested in the city Monday and were released after each posting \$75 bail.

Warrant For Man Who Did Not Appear In Court

A bench warrant was issued for Leslie A. Foxgord, 1144 Queens Avenue, when he failed to appear before Magistrate A. I. Thomas on remand today in city police court.

Last Tuesday in the court action was remanded one week for the purpose of giving the court a report on the progress he had made to clean up a collection of junk on a lot next to his home. Charge was laid under the building by-law.

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'Roberta' Full Of Fun, Color And Cute Tricks

By AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON

ROBERTA
Music by Jerome Kern
Cast:

Billy Petch
Sophie Kent
Ruck
Aunt Minnie (Madame Roberta)
Stephanie
Male
Lord Henry Drives
Gael Beveridge
Anna, a stylist
Louella, a model
Elise Friesen
Maurice Léroux, a lawyer
Michael Francis
Flower Girl
Marguerite Maude
Cate Protection
Lillian Carlson
James Johnston
Barney Potts
Doris Buckingham
Betty Phillips
Gael Beveridge
Alan Roughen
Phyllis Corbett
Marguerite Maude
Michael Francis
Marguerite Maude
Lillian Carlson
James Johnston
Barney Potts

With every ounce of comedy and brought it to a polished state of perfection and exuberance. Barney is a delightful comedian. He created a young riot with his casually ad libbed allusions to the orchestra leader (Bev Fife), "arena shares" and "Esquimau."

The comedy elements were nicely topped off by Billy Petch, who mimed and danced in his own agile, expressive manner with its delicate touch of the fan.

With the exception of three outstanding spots, this show does not quite measure up, musically, with some others; but three spots were well worth hearing.

First is Betty Phillips, a Canadian singer, whose warm, vibrant soprano made numbers like "Devastating" and "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" appealingly beautiful. Second is Karl Norman, who was seen and heard too little. His rich bel canto, however, made the duet, "Touch of Your Hand," sung with Miss Phillips, memorable moments. Third is the male voice ensemble from the chorus. The blend and quality of their singing in the "Madrigal" was excellent.

WELL ACTED

There can be no surprise in the fact that this is a "musical" unusually well acted. Doris Buckingham, Lillian Carlson and James Johnston are primarily actors with much talent and plenty of experience to back it. A highlight was the final quarrel scene between "Sophie" and "John Kent," in which a dramatic climax and exit was skillfully carried off by Miss Carlson.

The ballets, particularly the "cocktail" number, and the Russian dance, were strikingly smart both in choreography and execution. "Roberta" is being repeated tonight and tomorrow night.

Former Nova Scotian Living Here Named Canadian Delegate

Admits Guilt To Bigamy Charge

A former Nova Scotian who has been living in Victoria since the end of 1945 has been honored with an appointment as Canadian management delegate to an international coal mining and safety conference at Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 14.

He admitted his guilt to a charge that while being married to Milma Louise Zaccarelli

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During a brief stop here while

en route to Ottawa after a two-week holiday at Seal Harbor, Me., Mr. King denied rumors that he was considering the Governor-Generalship.

"When I said I would retire, I meant it," he said.

Mr. King, who retired as

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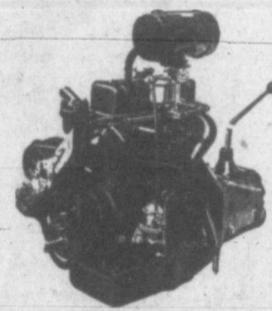
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LONDON (BUP) — Two of Britain's senior cabinet ministers were expected back on the job in London within two weeks to prepare for the crucial Washington conference on the dollar-sterling crisis.

Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin and Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir Stafford Cripps will map out British viewpoints to be presented at the meeting.

Bevin has been on vacation and attending the European assembly in Strasbourg. Cripps will be in a rest home in Switzerland, recovering from an old ailment.

Although the economic crisis will top the list of urgent matters, the Washington conference was expected to survey the whole field of problems facing the western world.

Included in the agenda would be Anglo-American talks on China and the entire Far Eastern crisis, where Britain is worried about its last bastion—Hongkong—and where Communists continue to spread their influence.

Also, almost certain discussions were expected between American and British officials about the growing tide of anti-British criticisms in America which now was being matched by a rising volume of anti-American feeling in Britain.

Union Membership Hit High In 1948

OTTAWA (CP)—Trade union membership in Canada reached an all-time high in 1948 when it crowded close to the 1,000,000 mark. Labor Minister Mitchell announced today.

In a statement based on his department's 38th annual review of labor organization in Canada, Mr. Mitchell said there were 971,591 trade union members in Canada at the end of 1948.

The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, with 2,779 locals, had a combined membership of 439,029. The Canadian Congress of Labor, with 1,187 locals, had a membership of 338,627. The unions making up the Canadian and Catholic Confederation of Labor reported 428 branches with a membership of 93,370. The independent railway brotherhoods had 41,126 members belonging to 376 locals.

Six Bombs Dropped On Farm In Ontario

HAVELOCK, Ont. (CP)—Six bombs were dropped Monday on the farm of Roy Outwater, three miles east of here, by an unidentified plane.

Havelock is about 20 miles northeast of Peterborough.

The bombs exploded 100 feet from a barn, left craters two feet deep and started a grass fire which was extinguished by Mr. and Mrs. Outwater and neighbors.

Reason for the bombing is unknown. There is no recognized bombing range in the area. The plane is believed to be an R.C.A.F. craft which flew with several others over Havelock in a northerly direction.

R.C.A.F. officials at Trenton Monday night declined comment, except to say the matter was under investigation.

Fraser Fruit Men Suffer Market Loss

CHILLIWACK (CP)—Fraser Valley fruit growers, already hit hard by heavy rains, today face additional heavy losses through lack of markets.

Plum growers claimed today harvesting will be drastically limited because of the loss of United Kingdom markets.

The lack of markets, they said, is a bitter blow to fruit producers, who missed the lucrative prairie raspberry market when heavy rains struck the valley.

Security Organization

CANBERRA (Reuter)—Justice Geoffrey Reed, Australian director of security, has completed the establishment of a new security intelligence organization to protect the Dominion from sabotage, espionage, and other subversive activities, a government spokesman announced Monday. The organization, the spokesman said, has secret "field men" posted in government departments and industrial and defence undertakings to report suspicious activities.

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FOUR STAR FINAL

Exhibition Park To Get 2 Weeks Willows Racing

Exhibition Park horse racing track in Vancouver will benefit from the close down of Willows track. It was reported reliably today that the Provincial Cabinet, by order-in-council, has transferred two weeks' racing at Willows to the Vancouver oval.

The extra two weeks gives the Hastings Park track a 70-day racing season.

Calgary Entries

CALGARY (CP)—Exhibition Grounds entries for Wednesday:

FIRST RACE—6½ furlongs:

Casper 115 Also eligible:

Beulah 115 Hot Form 115

Double Rose 110 Bold Messenger 110

Galon of Gold 110 Gull 115

Star 110 Sambo 110

Carrie 110 Sambo 110

Quinton Blue 115 Paddie B 115

Brown Mandie 115 Running Flag 115

SECOND RACE—6½ furlongs:

Doris 115 Also eligible:

Farina 115 Civil Girl 114

Custer 115 Civil Girl 115

Utri Thots 111 Also eligible:

A-Po's O-Wo 116

a-W. R. Stevens entry:

Mr. Extra 116 No Smoking 112

Arstiel 112 Also eligible:

Surprise Camp 112 O Varl San 111

Gifted Wind 110 Torch Singer 118

Tucker 112 Sagely 109

Padie 110 Sambo 114

FIFTH RACE—About seven furlongs:

Unfinished 111 O My Dear 111

a-Block Chide 112 a-Our Star 116

Marie 111 Rot Hare 123

a-C. Janusz entry:

Johnson 114 Also eligible:

Crash Dash 113 Machine Gun 103

Noxar 113 Yragac 117

Lightning 113 Lango 114

Miss Flings 112 Hot Forword 117

Pepper Pot 108 Infiltrate 109

Ruby Queen 108 Bonny Glanton 109

SUB RACE—Six and a half furlongs:

Penny D 112 Also eligible:

Miss Karen O 112 Alipal 117

Dr. Pooch 112 Long Flag 112

Mac Do 112 Vagabond 117

Endurance 117 Alaska 117

Fighting Ship 122 Fighting Ship 122

Midnight Sun 117 Vagabond 117

Four of a Kind 117 Ace Of Clubs 117

First post 4:30 p.m. Track fast.

Apprentice allowance.

Today's Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

R. H. E. Detroit 6-0 Cleveland 6-1

Cleveland, Kretlow (8) and Robinson

Benton and Fresh

W. Ward 10-9 New York 10-8

rate (Night game tomorrow instead of afternoon; postponed game to be rescheduled).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E. St. Louis 4-10 8

Cincinnati, Kretlow (8) and Robinson

Lamb, Wilks (8), Pollet (8) and Garfield, Dubel, Schmitz (8) and Owen

St. Louis 6-5 Cincinnati 6-5

(10 innings)

Game 200 Mask: Fox and Cooper

Racing At Vancouver

Selections

By CENTAUR By STREAMONY

FIRST RACE—
Craigiochart
Brighton Upton
Mona Kelk
SECOND RACE—
True Act
Goldsmith Boy
Border Scout
THIRD RACE—
Bull Fire
Pollapash
Bonnie Todd
FOURTH RACE—
John Bull Jr.
Sir Frigid
April Day
FIFTH RACE—
Balerno
Bathify
Fort Wise
SIXTH RACE—
Sir Marquette
Ignatius
Topper
SEVENTH RACE—
Sir Leknafar
Timbermaid
Franklin K
EIGHTH RACE—
Gene S
Maybe Thursday
Fun Fest
FIRST SUB RACE—
Hey Siris
Ned's Pride
Fairport
BEST BET—Sir Leknafar.

Overnight Entries

First Race—Claiming, \$850, three-year-olds and up, mile and ½ yards: 7157 Hasty Fleet (Christensen) 121 7158 Hasty Fleet (Harrison) 121 7159 Hasty Fleet (Harrison) 121 Also eligible: 7160 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7161 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7162 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7163 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7164 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7165 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7166 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7167 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7168 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7169 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7170 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7171 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7172 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7173 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7174 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7175 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7176 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7177 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7178 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7179 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7180 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7181 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7182 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7183 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7184 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7185 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7186 Foxy Donina (no boy) 121 7187 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